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From: Mike Tibbles [mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 2:31 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Updated Health Council Roster

Ivy thought he was not that interested. I asked her to add him back.

Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 2:23 PM
To: Ivy J Frye; Michael A Tibbles
Subject: Re: Updated Health Council Roster

I missed the reason todd was dropped?I thor karleen wanted him

-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Fri, 27 Apr 2007 13:49:35
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, 'Mike Tibbles' <mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>, "'Jackson, Karleen'" <karleen_jackson@health.state.ak.us>
Subject: Updated Health Council Roster

Please note the changes in Anchorage and Fairbanks. Also I removed Todd as honorary member, but he can be added back if you guys want him there.

Thanks,

Ivy Frye

Director of Boards and Commissions

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

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From: Mike Tibbles [mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 6:15 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: education

I would like to talk to have a more serious conversation with legislators this weekend about education funding. We do have a new proposal that does not reduce the BSA. At this point, we have not passed out numbers to anyone until we have a chance to walk you through the proposal and get your OK. We have a great opportunity to introduce a bill that addresses the local school district's needs and gives them certainty and sign the supplemental bill with the \$1 Billion savings for education early next week.

Do you have any time to talk about education before you leave tomorrow?

Mike

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From: Kari Spencer [kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 2:28 PM
To: Meghan Stapleton; 'Marty Rutherford'; 'Kris Perry'; 'John Bitney';
mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us; joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us
Cc: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: May 1, Juneau

FYI: I have scheduled a meeting with the Governor and Hickel's group for 10:30-11:00am on Tuesday.

Kari Spencer

Governor's Scheduler

907-465-3986 phone; 907-465-3889 fax

-----Original Message-----

From: Meghan Stapleton [mailto:meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 1:44 PM
To: 'Marty Rutherford'; 'Kris Perry'; 'John Bitney'; mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us;
joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us
Cc: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; 'Kari Spencer'
Subject: RE: May 1, Juneau

Thank you so much.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Marty Rutherford [mailto:marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us]

Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 1:36 PM

To: Kris Perry; 'John Bitney'; mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us;

joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us

Cc: 'Marty Rutherford'; gov.sarah@yahoo.com; 'Kari Spencer'; 'Meghan Stapleton'

Subject: RE: May 1, Juneau

Kris, Meghan,

This morning the Gas Team had a discussion about who will meet with Governor Hickel and his group next Tuesday, as well as the details of where and when. Joe will be following up on this discussion and once we've firmed up a couple of ideas, we'll get back to you with the details.

Thanks,

Marty

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From: "Kris Perry" <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>

To: "'John Bitney'" <john_bitney@gov.state.ak.us>;

mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us; joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us

Cc: "'Marty Rutherford'" <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>;

gov.sarah@yahoo.com; "'Kari Spencer'" <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>;

"'Meghan Stapleton'" <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

Sent: 4/27/07 12:56 PM

Subject: FW: May 1, Juneau

Reminder that Governor Hickel, Malcolm and David will be in Juneau on Tuesday to speak w/legislators on AGIA. They would like a briefing with the gasline team beforehand (that morning). Marty is aware. Meg is going to take it from here.

From: Yvonne Lindblom [mailto:ylindblom@gci.net]
Sent: Thursday, April 26, 2007 1:39 PM
To: kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us
Cc: 'Malcolm B. Roberts'
Subject: May 1, Juneau

Kris,

In a phone conversation with Malcolm this morning (he's in L.A.) he asked me to let you know that Governor Hickel and David Gottstein will be in Juneau all day May 1 and are prepared to testify before the House and Senate Finance Committees. (I left messages for Representative Meyer and Senator Stedman on Tuesday morning but have had no replies.)

FYI, Governor Hickel, Malcolm, and David will arrive in Juneau at 9:31 p.m. on Monday, April 30, and will leave to return to Anchorage at 7:47 p.m. on Tuesday, May 1. They have reservations at the Baranof Hotel.

Yvonne

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 12:22 PM

To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: Wasilla--"One Lord Sunday"

I'm going to try to get there - I should make it - but I'm glad you're the one asked to speak!

I have Fairbanks and Barrow on Thursday and Friday - speaking to Fairbanks Rotary at noon on Friday plus some school visits. And radio show at 4pm and John Roberts reception (you'll be there) later on... I'll have Kari email you my sched so if there's any coordination needed to be done you'll have my info.

I'm in Juno on Sun, Mon, Tues, Wed so I'll see you in and between Wasilla (tomorrow), Anchorage (probably same flt back to Juno), Juneau, and Fairbanks.

S R Parnell <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

Good morning! I got the message from Kari that you might be at the Sunday service in Wasilla and that I should go ahead and speak without deferring to you. I'm happy to do that and give you a break so you might enjoy more fully what God has for us there.

On this coming week's schedule, I'm planning to be in Juneau Monday morning through Tuesday evening, Anchorage Wednesday, and Fairbanks Thursday to Friday morning. The Anchorage and Fairbanks legs of my week can easily change, however, if something comes up in Juneau that you'd like my help with.

Thursday evening in Fairbanks, Chief Justice John Roberts speaks to the Alaska Bar Association dinner and I thought it would be good to hear him. I also set up a SCORE meeting (University research committee I chair as LG) at UAF for the day.

Are you in Juneau all week?

Sean

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:57 AM

To: Meghan N Stapleton

Cc: Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Sharon W Leighow

Subject: CONFIDENTIAL FAIRBANKS ROTARY SPEECH ON THURSDAY

and (confidentially at this point, between you, Sharon, Ivy and me) i'll announce a fairbanks resident as UA regent at that speech. i have Ivy working on candidate whom i have in mind. just dont want folks to know bc dont want others to attempt to talk me in or out of regent appts. and am annoyed by legislators' demands on this one.

we also have to turn this one into a win as it pertains to admin's overall goals and agia.

thanks!

also - love your idea on Irwin's participation in speech.

Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

I'd like to propose that the Governor's address to the Fairbanks Rotary on Thursday be more of a joint address with the Governor and Commissioner Irwin. What I am thinking is almost a dry-run for Barrow ~ the Governor will address the audience for the first ten minutes regarding the importance of AGIA and then Commissioner Irwin would add to that. What do you think? Are you comfortable with that?

Thanks,
Meg

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From: marty rutherford [marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 11:48 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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Marty

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:18 AM
To: Karleen K Jackson; Kim; Anna C (GOV); Russell T Kelly
Subject: Fw: Eklutna

-----Original Message-----

To: Michael A Tibbles
To: Michael A Nizich
To: John W Bitney
To: Talis J Colberg
To: Sean Parnell
Cc: Meghan N Stapleton
Cc: Sharon W Leighow
Cc: Joseph R Balash
Sent: Apr 28, 2007 7:56 AM
Subject: Eklutna

We'll be joining the efforts of Rep Stoltze (tho I haven't told him yet, but surely he'd presume it) with the Eklutna gambling issue. Don't know what all he wants to do in protecting his community's rights (and Alaska's rights), but we're on the same page on the potential gambling proposal on "Stoltze's Way" in Chugiak.

We need to get a public statement out re: our intentions, Bit needs to vet this - using his discernment with strategy - with legislators who signed "the letter" and are using Talis's comments about the letter against him and his confirmation, and rural legislators need to be assured we're not racists or being discriminatory on this.

There is misinformation out there on admin's position, I've heard it's even perceived that Todd's native background is/was a reason Talis didn't "jump" when legislators presented the idea of taking action on Eklutna's request. For the record, I've not connected the two at all with this issue, have not ever mentioned it, and I want that cleared up so legislators know clearly my position on casinos, potentially, in Chugiak and elsewhere.

Thanks!

Also - VOT mentioned yest that we still haven't publicly stated our position on this. Talis was wise to consider the issue, to take time to do so bc this issue is much larger than Eklutna's gaming issue, and I support Talis in this.

But we do need to state our position and work from there. Surprised I haven't been asked by press yet.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:06 AM
To: Christopher G Clark; Todd Palin; Michael A Tibbles
Cc: Spencer; Kari L (GOV); Kristina Y Perry; Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Re: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Kari's welcome to plug this in to any convenient date that's open this summer. Don't know if I want to sponsor the camp bc don't know the cost, so just plan on Game Night at the ballpark. Looks like the organizer's info is listed here, so it can be confirmed and rsvp'd ASAP between Kari and Kris and the Miners. Thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: Christopher Clark <christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Fri, 27 Apr 2007 20:49:04
To: 'GM Miners' <gmminers@gci.net>
Cc: 'Kari Spencer' <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Kris Perry' <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Ivy Frye' <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: RE: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for
"Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Greetings, Denise!

Thanks for your e-mail.

Kari has quite a balancing act to perform, but I'm sure she'll have an answer for you one of these days.

With a little bit of luck, an opening will appear soon in the Governor's amazingly hectic calendar ... and we'll ALL look forward to a Palin family trip to the ballpark and buying them some peanuts and Cracker Jack. Although, of course, we DO care that they DO come back.

All the very best to you and Pete,

Chris

From: GM Miners [mailto:gmminers@gci.net]

Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 8:35 PM

To: Kris Perry; 'Kari Spencer'

Cc: 'Ivy Frye'; 'Christopher Clark'

Subject: Re: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Hi Kari:

Is there anyway we can work on a date soon.... I am kind of waiting to schedule the Governor Palin Day @ the Park before I finish the rest of the schedule so that we can give her as much flexibility as possible. I am available by cell @ 841-4589 or at home 746-4914 anytime.

Looking forward to speaking with you.

Denise

----- Original Message -----

From: Kris Perry

To: 'Kari Spencer'

Cc: gmminers@gci.net ; 'Ivy Frye' ; 'Christopher Clark':
<mailto:christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us>

Sent: Wednesday, April 25, 2007 2:57 PM

Subject: Mat-Su Miners Baseball

Kari,

I spoke w/Denise Christopher w/the Mat-Su Miners this afternoon regarding their upcoming season. They are putting together a "Governor Palin Day at the Park" in June. I believe Rep. Stoltze is involved in this as well. They've kept several dates open and I suggested that she work directly with you on finalizing.

Also, there's a Miners baseball clinic for Valley kids that the Mat-Su Delegation has sponsored in the past. If Governor Palin is interested in sponsoring the clinic it could coincide with the "Governor Palin Day at the Park" game. The kids get shirts and other things that say something like "Mat-Su Miners Baseball Clinic sponsored by Governor Palin."

Denise is copied on this email.

Kris

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From: S R Parnell [sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 7:40 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Fw: DOT

Thanks, I missed the comments and will look for them.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Date: Saturday, April 28, 2007 7:35 am
Subject: Fw: DOT
To: Sean Parnell <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us>

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> To: Michael A Tibbles
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> To: John W Bitney
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From: Brian Petrilla [forever_late@msn.com]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 11:15 PM
To: Palin; Sarah H (GOV)
Cc: Kreitzer; Annette (Dept. of Admin); Crawford; Harry (LAA); Davis; Bettye J (LAA)
Subject: State Worker Contract Negotiations...

April 28, 2007

State of Alaska
The Office of the Governor
Juneau Office
P.O. Box 110001
Juneau, AK 99811-0001

Dear Governor Palin,

I am writing in regards to the current contract negotiations between the state and your GGU employees. I understand the necessity to be responsible to the citizens of Alaska and attempt to keep the costs of running government as low as possible. Even so, the state budget should not be balanced on the back's of your GGU workforce. For too long state employees have been moving backwards financially due to high rises in cost of living and consistently little or no cost of living increases.

The wages offered for positions with the State of Alaska are generally not competitive with private and federal employers. By not offering livable wages that help us keep up with our living expenses the state will suffer. You will loose current employees to better paying jobs and you will never recruit the quality employees you want working for the state. The only incentive current employees have to stick with the state is possibly the retirement if they are tier I, II or III. As you know much of the states workforce is ready for retirement. What will you do to fill those positions when the pay is low and the pensions are gone?

I am a seven year employee with the State of Alaska's Division of Public Assistance. I have held the same position for those seven years and although my salary has increased, due to merit increases, I have steadily gone backwards in my ability to pay my bills due to very small cost of living increases. The cost of living offered by previous administrations did not come close to keeping up with the actual rise in cost of living and inflation. My merit increases are now very slow as I'm in longevity and will not get raises every year, which means I will fall even further behind.

My office has several open positions that we cannot find qualified applicants to fill. I too am now looking at the possibility of moving to federal employment as the pay is substantially higher to perform the same job duties. If current negotiations do not yield a substantial increase in wages, looking for new employment will become a necessary reality in order to support my family. My back is against the wall Governor Palin, please choose to do right by your employees. Avoid a strike, stop attrition and adequately pay your employees for the work they do.

Sincerely,

Brian D. Petrilla
4216 Charing Cross Circle
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 10:13 PM
To: Bitney; John W (GOV)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Re: Bill McAllister

This all sounds very very good JB. You guys are working your butts off and it's appreciated and will be so successful. Thanks for this update - I look forward to hearing what their amendments and/or compromises are that they'd want to propose. Thanks JB!

-----Original Message-----

From: John Bitney <john_bitney@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 19:51:41
To: 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Cc: mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us, joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: RE: Bill McAllister

Today Senate Finance heard from BP, Trans Canada, and AGPA. House Finance heard from our team.

Within the legislature today, the conversations focused on coordinating efforts between the House and Senate in order to avoid the need for a Conference Committee to reconcile any differences between the two sides. Generally, this is a very positive development. However, Monday's meeting will likely focus on how the legislative leadership would like to see the bill amended in order to get it into a reconciled position.

Good side: a reconciled bill speeds up the process

Bad side: the legislative leadership may ask for compromises on our part about the bill in order to speed it up

Generally speaking...with AGIA located in both Finance Committees, the bill is in position to pass quickly once we reach final consensus. With the 24 Hour Rule now in effect...the opportunity is available to move the bill very quickly. Given the two weeks remaining in session, this is plenty of time for the Committees to become familiar with the bill and

move it to the Floor for final passage.

The key will be the negotiations with legislative leadership. Expect Monday to be a watershed meeting.

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 11:41 AM

To: Sharon Leighow; meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us; john_bitney@gov.state.ak.us; christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us; mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us

Subject: Re: Bill McAllister

pls let me know if anything changes or developes on agia before i call him this weekend
thanks

Sharon Leighow <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

Governor,

I let Bill know that you would call him sometime this weekend. I did not commit to a time or day. Again, he is doing a story about AGIA for stateline.org -- a website for statehouse news from the 50 states. He needs 10 minutes from you on the progress the bill is making.

His numbers:

Cell -- 230-5803

Home -- 929-6056

Thanks,

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

Deputy Communications Director

465-4031 Juneau

269-7450 Anchorage

321-7943 cell

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From: Mike Tibbles [mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 7:35 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

We have been communicating with the team all day. We should all have the same information at this point. Once we hear more about this evening's meeting and caucus, we can regroup. Not being one to be out at the bars much, it will be me that will have to get caught up in the morning.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
To: "Michael A Tibbles" <mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>
Sent: 4/28/07 7:27 PM
Subject: Re: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

I'm checking on monday teleconf.

Explain the amendments and potential deal with Tom and Marty and Pat? Are they in the loop with what you're hearing?

-----Original Message-----

From: Mike Tibbles <mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 18:50:40
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 5:17 PM

To: Michael A Tibbles

Subject: Re: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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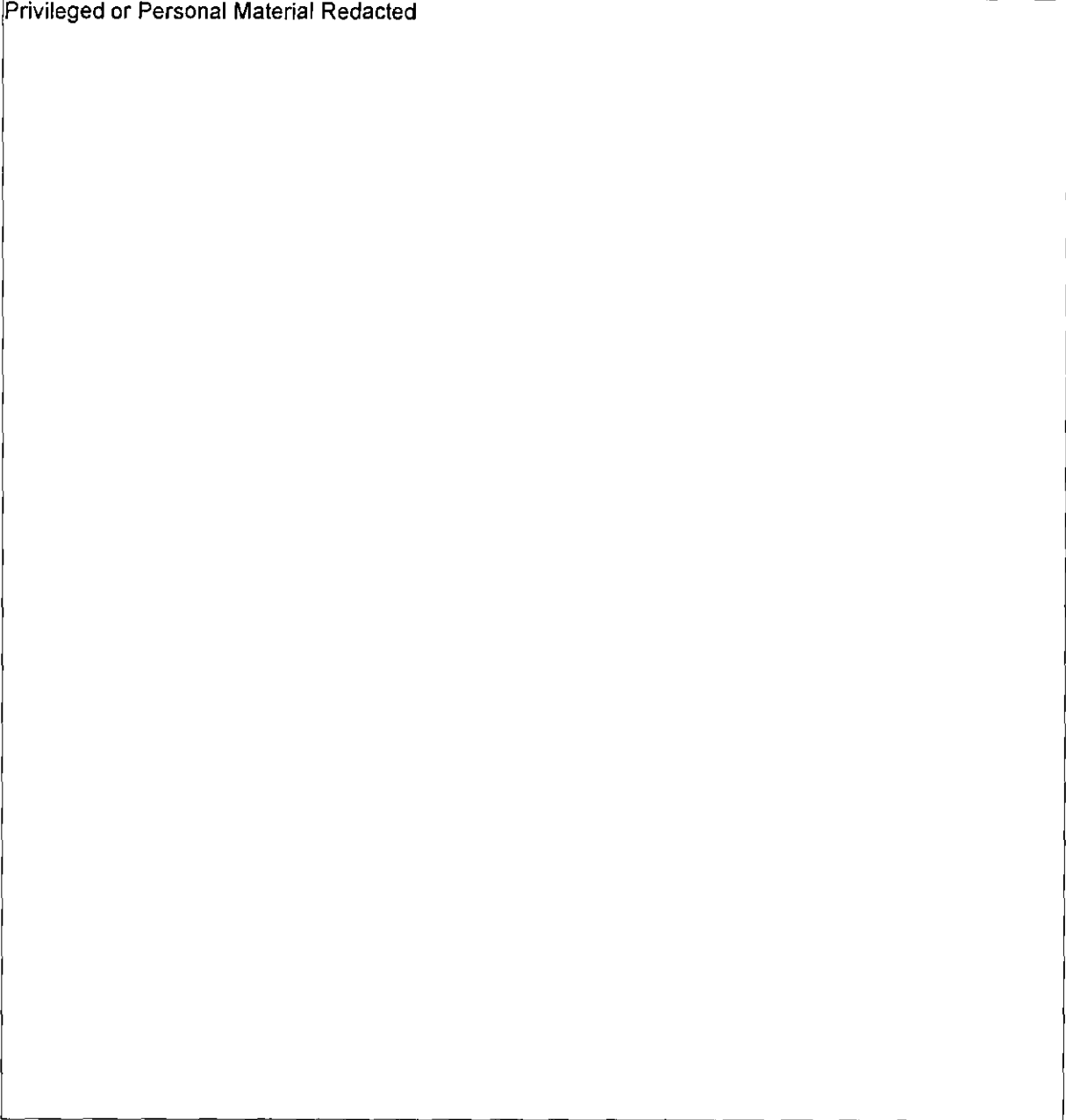
From: Mike Tibbles <mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>

Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 16:15:01

To: 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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Mike

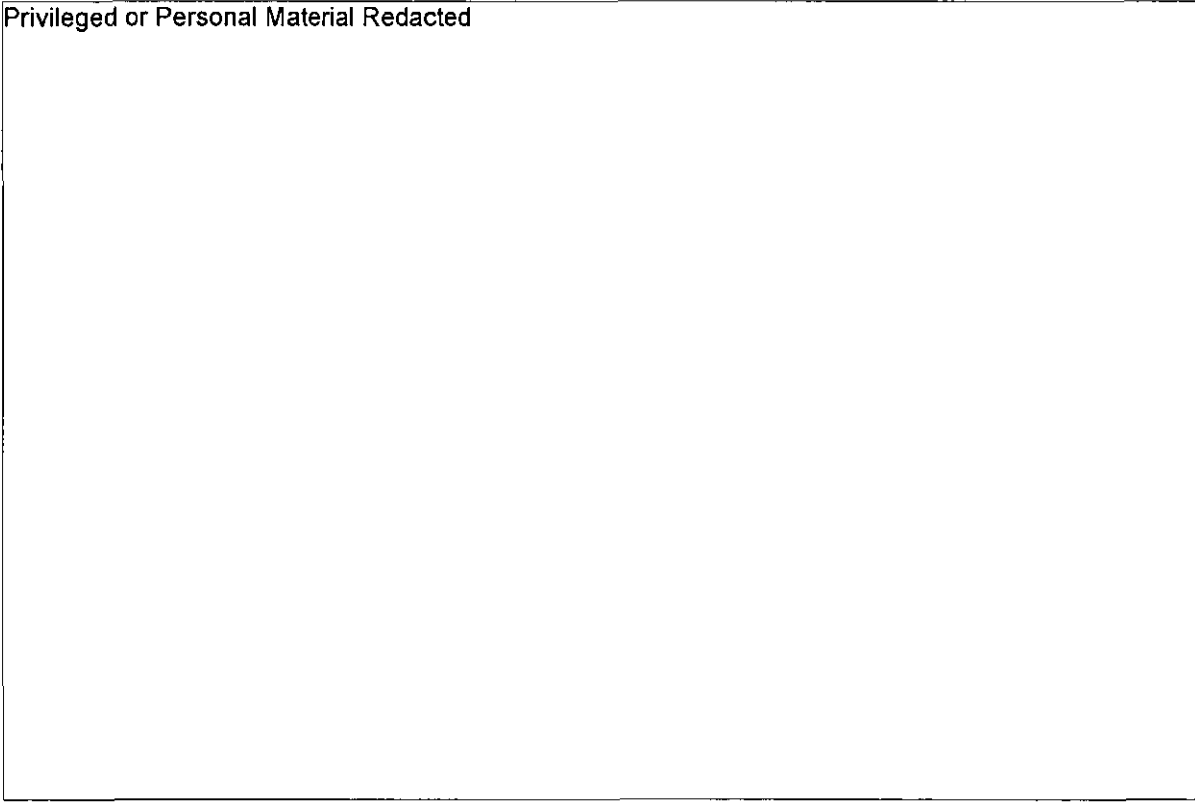
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 7:20 PM
To: Rutherford; Martha K (DNR)
Subject: Re: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

Can he strategize on Monday after our "big" meeting?

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From: Marty Rutherford <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>
Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 17:49:58
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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Thank you,

Marty

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
To: "Martha K Rutherford" <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>
Sent: 4/28/07 5:35 PM
Subject: Re: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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-----Original Message-----

From: marty rutherford <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>

Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 11:48:01

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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From: Tom Irwin [tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 12:45 PM
To: Meghan N Stapleton; 'Sarah Palin'; Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Cc: Meghan N Stapleton
Subject: RE: FAIRBANKS ROTARY SPEECH ON THURSDAY

I am ALWAYS willing and proud to participate with and support the Governor. Just let me know how. I will plan on attending.

Some things to think about: Rotaries stick to a tight schedule, the most time we will probably get is 20 to 30 minutes, additional time for questions. The Barrow presentation will be at least double the time. I can give any length summary of AGIA.

Although I am a member of the Fairbanks Downtown Rotary and the Rotaries know me well and like me, they really like the Governor. We want to make sure the Governor gets good mic time. Bottom line they want to hear from the Governor. Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: "Meghan Stapleton" <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
To: "'Sarah Palin'" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; "'Irwin, Tom E (DNR)'" <tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>; "'Joe Balash'" <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>
Cc: "'Meghan Stapleton'" <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
Sent: 4/27/07 6:13 PM
Subject: FAIRBANKS ROTARY SPEECH ON THURSDAY

I'd like to propose that the Governor's address to the Fairbanks Rotary on Thursday be more of a joint address with the Governor and Commissioner Irwin. What I am thinking is almost a dry-run for Barrow - the Governor will address the audience for the first ten minutes regarding the importance of AGIA and then Commissioner Irwin would add to that. What do you think? Are you comfortable with that?

Thanks,
Meg

Meghan N. Stapleton

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 9:03 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: RE: New Trustee

Dang, I'm here.

Privileged or 465-3969.

I'll be over there at about noon to pick up the girls for softball.

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:58 AM
To: Ivy Frye
Subject: RE: New Trustee

thanks!

and piper tried to call you. didn't work

Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

The MHTA panel sent forward one name (Dr. Burgess of Homer).

The panel sent the name after the deadline to submit names to the Legislature for confirmation. Also, they only sent one name for consideration.

We were considering Privileged for this board, but she will serve on the Health Council instead. We have no other serious candidates at this time.

The MHTA can still have quorum at board meetings with the current members whether we act now or make an interim appointment.

I'll touch base with Mike and get this figured out before the weekend is over. I'll get a list of good candidates together for you to consider next week.

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 5:06 PM
To: Ivy Frye
Cc: 'John W Bitney'; 'Christopher Clark'; 'Anna C Kim'; 'Michael A Tibbles'
Subject: RE: New Trustee

where are we in the choice process - who are the candidates? we need to hustle on this one too.

i'd rather hustle with a selection versus invite him to call and discuss it further... i'm sure there's someone they can agree to?

Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

| Jeff,

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Thank you for the email.

I understand your concern. We haven't made any final decisions on the MHTA appointment. Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss this further.

Thank you,

Ivy

From: Jeff Jessee [mailto:jeff_jessee@revenue.state.ak.us]

Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 3:08 PM

To: 'Ivy Frye'

Cc: 'Anna Kim'; 'John W Bitney'; 'Christopher Clark'

Subject: New Trustee

Hi Ivy,

I'm sure you are extremely busy but my Board is getting concerned about the appointment of a new Trustee to replace John Malone whose term expired on March 3rd and who is term limited out from continuing to serve.

As you know, current Trustees serve until a new Trustee is appointed and confirmed therefore an interim appointment will not give us a new Trustee.

Please let me know if there is anything I can do to assist you.

Thanks!

Jeff

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From: Mike Tibbles [mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 6:55 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Eklutna

Just a quick update on Eklutna. I talked to Bill Stoltze and he is interested in being involved with any protest filing by the State. I asked his opinion about including Begich and he thought it was a good idea. He mentioned that he and Lyda exchanged some sharp words over the issue. I let him know we are working hard on the matter and will get back to him soon. He is supportive of our efforts.

Mike

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From: Mike Tibbles [mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 6:40 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: education

Chenault is warming to the idea. He would like some help with his capital projects. I am looking over the Borough's priorities. No promises yet but I will see if there is something we can do to help. I will follow up with you first.

Lyda called Chenault to her office to talk about AGIA. We will get some intel on that a little later.

The Senate Leadership is getting together to talk about a number of items including AGIA, education funding and municipal assistance. Meanwhile, leadership staff is scheduled to discuss amendments. The results of both will be discussed on Monday at our meeting. We will get more information about the various meetings tomorrow.

Mike

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Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 5:20 PM
To: Michael A Tibbles
Subject: Re: education

Sounds like good discussion with Lyman. And once chenault understands it I'd assume he'll like it. Who has more support for funding plan - chenault or lyman?

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From: Ivy Frye [ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 10:02 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: RE: confidential

Privileged hasn't applied, but I have his contact info if you'd like me to touch base.

Also, you have the opportunity to appoint a student regent as well. Attached is a memo with some brief background info. I interviewed all 6 student regent nominations over the last two weeks. Below are my notes from my interviews, as well as information that was listed in their bios. I'll let you read below before I share my thoughts/recommendations.

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From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:52 AM
To: ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us
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Of course! I'll look at my files now. Thanks.

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Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:56 AM
To: Kari Spencer; gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Chris Clark; fek9wnr@yahoo.com; Michael Tibbles
Cc: Kris Perry
Subject: RE: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Keep up the good work Kari.

From: Kari Spencer [mailto:kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:42 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Chris Clark; fek9wnr@yahoo.com; Michael Tibbles
Cc: Kris Perry; Ivy Frye
Subject: Re: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

No this doesn't cost us anything and these are the fun events that are like the dessert of scheduling. They are so glad to have you they take care of the details. Its just the working into the schedule part that we have to sort out!

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Kari Spencer; Chris Clark; Todd Palin <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>; Michael Tibbles
CC: Kris Perry; Ivy Frye
Sent: Sat Apr 28 08:36:54 2007
Subject: Re: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Thanks, all, for working on things like this that a lot of folks should have fun participating in. Just let me know when and where, and I'll show up.

Shouldn't be much work on the state's part as these ball teams have been doing these ball nights forever and don't need our assistance - just approval to advertise who's "night at the ballpark" it is.

The Bucs are another good and fun farm league team - they just happen to be based in Anch. And the Miners are the Valley.

Didn't know the Bucs wanted us too - we'd do it for them also. I still want to know -Does it cost the state anything or is this basically used for their marketing? Its a good cause and I will be attending.

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Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 08:26:02
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; "Chris Clark" <christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us>; <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>; "Michael Tibbles" <mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>
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Subject: Re: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

OK -- JUST SO YOU KNOW THE BUCS TEAM HAS THE SAME REQUEST FOR THE SAME SORT OF EVENT. ARE THEY RIVAL TEAMS? I WAS GOING TO LAY OUT BOTH SCHEDULES TO SEE HOW THEY FIT INTO JUNE/JULY SCHEDULES FOR THE GOVERNOR. KARI.

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To: Chris Clark; Todd Palin <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>; Michael Tibbles
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Sent: Sat Apr 28 08:05:57 2007

Subject: Re: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Kari's welcome to plug this in to any convenient date that's open this summer. Don't know if I want to sponsor the camp bc don't know the cost, so just plan on Game Night at the ballpark. Looks like the organizer's info is listed here, so it can be confirmed and rsvp'd ASAP between Kari and Kris and the Miners. Thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: Christopher Clark <christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us>

Date: Fri, 27 Apr 2007 20:49:04

To: 'GM Miners' <gmminers@gci.net>

Cc: 'Kari Spencer' <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Kris Perry' <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Ivy Frye' <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>

Subject: RE: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Greetings, Denise!

Thanks for your e-mail.

Kari has quite a balancing act to perform, but I'm sure she'll have an answer for you one of these days.

With a little bit of luck, an opening will appear soon in the Governor's amazingly hectic calendar ... and we'll ALL look forward to a Palin family trip to the ballpark and buying them some peanuts and Cracker Jack. Although, of course, we DO care that they DO come back.

All the very best to you and Pete,

Chris

From: GM Miners [mailto:gmminers@gci.net: <mailto:gmminers@gci.net>]

Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 8:35 PM

To: Kris Perry; 'Kari Spencer'

Cc: 'Ivy Frye'; 'Christopher Clark'

Subject: Re: Mat-Su Miners Baseball game - picking a date for "Governor Palin Day @ the Park"

Hi Kari:

Is there anyway we can work on a date soon.... I am kind of waiting to schedule the Governor Palin Day @ the Park before I finish the rest of the schedule so that we can give her as much flexibility as possible. I am available by cell @ 841-4589 or

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at home 746-4914 anytime.

Looking forward to speaking with you.

Denise

----- Original Message -----

From: Kris Perry

To: 'Kari Spencer'

Cc: gmminers@gci.net ; 'Ivy Frye' ; 'Christopher Clark': <mailto:christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us; <mailto:christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us> >

Sent: Wednesday, April 25, 2007 2:57 PM

Subject: Mat-Su Miners Baseball

Kari,

I spoke w/Denise Christopher w/the Mat-Su Miners this afternoon regarding their upcoming season. They are putting together a "Governor Palin Day at the Park" in June. I believe Rep. Stoltze is involved in this as well. They've kept several dates open and I suggested that she work directly with you on finalizing.

Also, there's a Miners baseball clinic for Valley kids that the Mat-Su Delegation has sponsored in the past. If Governor Palin is interested in sponsoring the clinic it could coincide with the "Governor Palin Day at the Park" game. The kids get shirts and other things that say something like "Mat-Su Miners Baseball Clinic sponsored by Governor Palin."

Denise is copied on this email.

Kris

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Subject: FW: Ed Rasmuson phone number

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Governor Palin,

Following is a phone number for Ed and some statements on the purpose of the Health Council in the draft press release.

Cell phone number for Ed Rasmuson:

Privileged or

From the draft press release:

The Alaska Health Care Strategies Planning Council was created under Administrative Order Number 232 by Governor Sarah Palin on February 15, 2007.

The purpose of the council is to recognize the need to develop a statewide plan to identify short-term and long-term strategies to effectively address the issues of access to, and cost and quality of, health care for Alaskans. The council is to prepare and submit to the Governor and the Legislature, by January 1, 2008, a health care action plan.

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From: Jackson, Karleen [mailto:karleen_jackson@health.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 3:44 PM
To: 'Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us'
Subject: Fw: Ed Rasmuson phone number

Here you go, Ivy. The cell phone for Ed.

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From: Diane Kaplan <dkaplan@rasmuson.org>
To: Jackson, Karleen <Karleen_Jackson@health.state.ak.us>
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From: "Jackson, Karleen" <Karleen_Jackson@health.state.ak.us>
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From: Diane Kaplan <dkaplan@rasmuson.org>
To: Jackson, Karleen <Karleen_Jackson@health.state.ak.us>
Sent: Sat Apr 28 12:54:14 2007
Subject: RE: Ed Rasmuson phone number

Office is 265-2927, home is 243-1155, cell to follow

-----Original Message-----

From: "Jackson, Karleen" <Karleen_Jackson@health.state.ak.us>
To: "'dkaplan@rasmuson.org'" <dkaplan@rasmuson.org>
Sent: 4/28/07 10:56 AM
Subject: Fw: Ed Rasmuson phone number

Diane, I don't have a number for Ed. Can you tell is what number is best to reach him? Thanks.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye <Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us>
To: 'Jackson, Karleen' <karleen_jackson@health.state.ak.us>
Sent: Sat Apr 28 10:26:41 2007
Subject: Ed Rasmuson phone number

Commissioner,

Do you have a cell phone/home phone number for Mr. Rasmuson?

Thanks,

Ivy Frye

Director of Boards and Commissions

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(907) 465-8110 fax

Unknown

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:02 PM

To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)

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From: Chris [c.smith@gci.net]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 5:34 PM
To: Palin; Sarah H (GOV)
Cc: "mailto:annette_kreitzer"@admin.state.ak.us; "mailto:samr"@afscmelocal52.org
Subject: GGU Contract Negotiations

Dear Governor Palin:

I am proud to be an Alaskan, Employee of the State of Alaska, and member of the ASEA/AFSCME Local 52 Union. I am extremely proud of the work that I do as an employee of the State of Alaska and my fellow Alaskans; and to be honest with you, my fellow state employees/workers and I deserve a fair contract. I/we work extremely hard for the State of Alaska and our fellow Alaskans, and we take great pride in the work that we do. However, I intend to stand strong with my fellow union members and other state employees.

The prices of basic needs and necessities continue to increase. For example, food, (meats, vegetables, fruits, milk, etc.), utilities (gas, water and sewer, electricity, telephone, etc.), gas to fuel our cars and trucks to go back and forth to work, medical services for our health. The list does not stop there, but I think the picture is clear, and you know just how fast all costs are rising. Conversely, over the past 6 years, our wages have increased at a slower pace than inflation, (i.e., we actually earn less per year than we used to due to inflation being higher than our cost of living increases).

I ask that you consider the contract proposals of our Union, while keeping in mind our responsibility to serve Alaskans, with a high quality and loyal workforce. Please help us to continue to serve our fellow Alaskans and the State of Alaska in the future. I believe that our union is proposing reasonable terms and conditions for a fair contract for all General Government Union employees so that Alaskans can continue to work together for our great State. Thank you for taking the time to read this letter.

Respectfully,

Chris Smith

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Unknown

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:20 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: RE: ASMI
excellent info.

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Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

First, and most important, all board members serve at the pleasure of the governor. Mike Barnhill from Law confirmed this for me in March.

Second, Don Giles' term expires 6/30/07. He was appointed by Murkowski 5/13/2004.

Duncan Fields and Kevin Adams also have terms expiring 6/30/07.

The statute doesn't specify if the president/ceo of a seafood processor must sit on the board. I think Law would agree the statute is open for interpretation and you could choose anyone employed by the processor to represent the processor. I will make sure this is the case.

It does specify that the processor must have an annual payroll in Alaska of \$2.5 million or more. Large processors currently on ASMI:

Trident
Icicle
Peter pan
Ocean Beauty

All Alaska processors with an annual payroll of 2.5 million or more:

Trident
UniSea
Icicle
Peter Pan
Westward
Ocean Beauty
North Pacific
Norquest

Large processors on the board currently:

Joe Bundrant, VP of Trident
Darry Collier, President/CEO of Peter Pan Seafoods
Mark Palmer, President/COO of Ocean Beauty
Don Giles, President/CEO Icicle

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, April 29, 2007 7:55 AM
To: Ivy J Frye
Cc: Michael A Tibbles
Subject: ASMI

Iv - could you tell me about Don Giles on asmi, from Icicle - how long on
bd, when's term up, if replaced his seat belongs to Processor but does it
need to be CEO of company, etc. ? Thanks!

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 8:02 PM

To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV)

Subject: Re: Andrew Halcro and my piece

Yeah, well, you are a hero. And he's odd. So you win.

"Lt. Governor Sean Parnell" <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

I was at the computer tonight working on my AH piece and went to AH's blog. Someone pointed out to him today on his blog that I had the opinion piece in the Juneau Empire and asked AH to post it on his blog—which he did.

Sounds like he's drafting something on me entitled, "Coming Tuesday: The Lt. Governor, AGIA and a Chance To Be A Hero."

Heads up!

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Unknown

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 6:35 PM

To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: Juneau Empire editing

You're very gracious! Thanks Lt. And thanks for your good input today on AGIA, etc.

"Lt. Governor Sean Parnell" <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

Governor,

I just read my op-ed in the Juneau Empire editorial ("Turn the Private Sector Loose") and was a bit disturbed that the Empire edited out the word "Governor" in front of almost every "Palin." Just wanted to let you know that I wouldn't knowingly refer to you just by your last name!

Sean

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From: Erika Fagerstrom [erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 5:29 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: Checking- Exterior Security Lights at 9:30/10:30pm. TONIGHT...

Tonight at about 9:30 or 10:00pm.- Brian from Morris Engineering and I will stop by to check out the reflectivity of the new security lights against the windows. It needs to be dark outside and we're trying to get this project wrapped up, so that's why it's so late. Another option would be to come over early tomorrow morning before it gets light out.

Erika Fagerstrom
Executive Residence Manager & Assistant to the First Gentleman
Governor's House
State of Alaska, Office of the Governor
716 Calhoun Avenue, Juneau, Alaska 99801
Phone: 907-465-3500; Fax: 907-465-2031

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:30 PM

To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)

Subject: RE: B&C update

Privileged is the best of those candidates for lbc

Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

AVIATION:

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Dodson represents the City of Fairbanks and North Star Borough on the Aviation Advisory Board (the board that selects the gm for the FBX and ANC International Airports, as well as makes general recommendations to the DOT commissioner on aviation policy). Privileged or Personal M

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LBC:

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From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:02 PM

To: Ivy Frye

Subject: Re: B&C update

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From: marty rutherford [marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 7:40 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

Governor,

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Having said all that, he is in Dillingham today and he will make a point of being at his house between 10:45am and 12:30pm today if you would like to talk with him. That number is 907-Privileged.

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Pat, Tom and I will join you for the 9:30am meeting with the legislative leadership, so I will see you shortly.

Marty

gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote:

> Can he strategize on Monday after our "big" meeting?

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Marty Rutherford <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>

> Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 17:49:58

> To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

> Subject: RE: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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> Governor,

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> Thank you,

> Marty

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

> To: "Martha K Rutherford" <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>

> Sent: 4/28/07 5:35 PM

> Subject: Re: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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> He's tough to get ahold of, and more power to him for that!

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: marty rutherford <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>

> Date: Sat, 28 Apr 2007 11:48:01

> To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

> Subject: Follow-up w/Rick Halford, etc.

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> Governor,

> I received a call from Rick Halford, who was calling from Dillingham,

> and in and out of Aleknagik. Rick was asking if he needs to plan on
> any

> further discussions with you, or a trip to Juneau. He intends to call

> me back later today since he cannot always be reached on his cell

> phone. If you would like to talk with him directly I could redirect
> him

> to you.

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> Also, I know the Legislative leadership is meeting with you on Monday

> morning, although I am not sure if it is focused on AGIA, solely, or

> not. Do you want Pat, Tom or me to attend this meeting? Please feel

> free to say no, but I need to ask as various legislators are broaching

> the meeting with us.

> Thanks,

> Marty

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From: Tyler Clark [clatylar@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:24 PM
To: Palin; Sarah H (GOV)
Cc: Kreitzer; Annette (Dept. of Admin); samr@afscmelocal52.org
Subject: ASEA/AFSCME GGU State Workers' Contract

Dear Governor Palin:

I know that you are extremely busy so I'll be brief. I take pride in saying that this year marks the 30th year that I have been an Alaskan. I also take great pride in working for the State that I love so dearly. While I have the skills, education, and experience to work in the private sector, I choose to work for the State because of the satisfaction I feel in serving the people of Alaska.

While I am a member of the ASEA/AFSCME Local 52 GGU Union, I honestly have never been much involved with the union's activities- that is until this year. In prior years when the union negotiated contracts for Alaska's employees, I did not feel much need to participate. But this year is different, fundamentally because the ever increasing cost of living, continues to erode my income. The price of gasoline, energy, utilities, groceries, property taxes, etc. has greatly surpassed the meager increases in State salaries in recent years, thereby making it difficult to earn an honest living. That is why this year, more than ever, I feel that I need to do my part to ensure that my fellow coworkers and I receive a fair working contract so that we can continue to provide for our families. Therefore, I intend to firmly stand together with my fellow coworkers in negotiating a fair and reasonable contract.

I respectfully request that you consider our union's proposed contract, while keeping in mind the necessity to serve Alaskans with a high quality and loyal workforce. I believe that the terms and conditions the union has proposed are fair to both the State and its employees. Please help us to continue to serve our State by approving the proposed contract. Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Tyler Clark

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Unknown

From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:07 PM
To: Meghan Stapleton; 'Leighow; Sharon W (GOV) '
Cc: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Regents: CONFIDENTIAL

Meghan and Sharon:

Here is the resume and cover letter for Erik Drygas, Governor Palin's potential appointment to the Board of Regents. As you know, she'll make the announcement at the Fairbanks Rotary Luncheon this week.

Erik confirmed today he's interested today, although he doesn't know that he's the top candidate. After I let him know he's appointed (unless SP wants to call), do you guys want to get him the location and time information or do you want me to take care of that? Also, I'll be sure to let him know we're still keeping all of this under wrap.

Just let me know if you need anything else from this end.

Thanks guys,

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Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 2:45 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 7:57 AM
To: Kari Spencer; Janice Mason
Cc: Michael A Tibbles; gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: B&C Meeting

Kari,

I wanted to see if I could get in to see Governor Palin for 20 minutes any time today or any time this week before she leaves town? Of course, only if time allows and the governor is up for it.

I need confirmation on a couple of house keeping items before she travels this week. Several are re-appointments and the ones that aren't I have a couple of names to run by her to make sure I'm going in the right direction.

Here's my agenda:

Regents (vacancy and student regent)
Aviation
Nursing
Community Service
Children's Trust
Safety Advisory

Thanks,

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From: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
[/O=DEC/OU=JUNEAU/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=ANNETTE_KREITZER]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 5:27 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: DOA procurement in Wasilla

Governor:

Sorry it took me so long to get this response back to you. I needed to talk with the contracting officers and review the Invitation to Bid in addition to the correspondence surrounding this contract. Royal Business Systems (RBS) bid on a statewide copier contract (issued September 15, 2006 - Prebid conference was Oct. 6, 2006, and bids had to be submitted by Dec. 20, 2006). RBS has done work on some State copiers in the Valley prior to this bid, but as I understand it, they were seeking to increase their business through successful bidding on this contract.

Here is a brief summary of our award of copier contracts in the Mat-Su Valley:

- On January 16, 2007, we issued a Notice of Intent for the statewide copier contract. Royal Business Systems was named as having six copiers in the Mat-Su Valley that were susceptible for award. However, their bid did not include the required evidence that their local service technician had manufacturer authorization or certification to service their copiers.
- On January 26, 2007, Valley Business Machines protested Royal's service technician qualifications. After multiple requests, Royal provided enough supplemental information that we initially determined their service technician met the ITB requirements and denied Valley's protest.
- On March 12, 2007, Valley submitted an appeal which continued to challenge the qualifications of Royal's service technician.
- On March 13, 2007, we requested that Royal have their manufacturers each provide a letter or email that clearly certified that their service technician is trained and authorized to provide service and maintenance on machines in the Mat-Su valley. They were given until March 20, 2007 to provide the evidence.
- On March 21, 2007, after not receiving any additional information from Royal, we determined them non-responsive for the Mat-Su Valley.
- On March 27, 2007, Royal protested our non-responsive determination and argued that we should not have required more information but provided no additional evidence.
- On March 29, 2007, we denied their protest. Royal did not appeal

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and we are proceeding to award. Valley Business Machines did provide the certifications of its technicians.

This situation revealed to the State Procurement Officer that the State needs to be more vigilant in ensuring that technicians for these contracts are certified to work on the machines bid. The State erred in its initial qualification of RBS, and had an opportunity to revisit that only because of the complaint by Valley Business Machines. The State is bound to respond when someone protests a bid. As you can imagine, sometimes the complaint is valid and sometimes not. In this case, it's hard to understand why RBS did not timely respond with its service technician's credentials, when the contract was on the line. Because it did not, it will be out of game on this contract. The contract has one-year extensions, and there will be another opportunity for RBS to correct the problems that it encountered on this contract. We are also committed to make the next contract simpler to respond to.

Governor, I want to be sure you're also aware of this background, although it doesn't bear on whether RBS' technicians are certified or not:

A year ago, Mr. David Eibeck, owner of Royal Business Systems,

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discussion with the Attorney General's office he was advised on April 23, 2007 that, "The state considers altering an email message a serious matter that cannot be overlooked. As a result, we are suspending your contract though August 31, 2006, and requiring you to assign another individual to administer the contract and represent RBS (Royal Business Systems) in all dealings with State of Alaska personnel regarding copier sales and maintenance agreements and the Division of General Services. This condition would also apply to the upcoming solicitation that will result in new statewide copier contracts".

I hope this helps you evaluate the criticism that the State acted to "favor" someone else in this invitation to bid. It is my opinion in the face of all of the evidence I have seen, that that assertion is not true.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2007 7:11 PM
To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
Subject: DOA procurment in Wasilla

Thanks for the great event today Annette! That was fun - and it was great to see your husband there too.

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Do you know of this issue mentioned in the email below? My brother is asking about someone who lost a contract with the state. Pls see below.

-----Original Message-----

From: chuck heath <chckheath@yahoo.com>

Date: Sat, 21 Apr 2007 09:41:10

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to Unveil Alaska CommemorativeQuarter

I'll call a few kids and see if they can make it. I won't be at school Monday because I'll be at your Volunteer Awards at the Sheraton.

A guy on my hockey team, Dave Eibeck (who you've met a couple of times because he campaigned for you) told me last night that someone in Dept. of Admin (in charge of procurement) is playing favorites. He owns Royal Business Systems and they sell and service copiers around the state. He said he lost his Valley contract with the State because they told him he wasn't qualified to work on machines there...even though he works on State machines every where else from Southeast to Fairbanks.

Voice of the Times sounds desperate now. Keep it positive and ignore them.

Did Track like the bike? We are going to Wasilla today.

--- gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote:

> Sounds good. Still be nice to have next generation
> of AKns with us. Let me ask my brother if some of
> his students could be there at that time.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Meghan Stapleton

> <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

> Date: Fri, 20 Apr 2007 13:49:43

> To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

> Cc: 'Sharon Leighow'

> <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Kris Perry'

> <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Meghan Stapleton'

> <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

> Subject: FW: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to

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> Unveil Alaska Commemorative
> Quarter
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> We thought unveiling at the Alaska Mint would be
> most appropriate and so we
> have a great set-up there.
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> Meghan N. Stapleton
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> Communications Director
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> Office of Governor Sarah Palin
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> From: Sharon Busch
> [mailto:sharon_busch@gov.state.ak.us]
> Sent: Friday, April 20, 2007 12:20 PM
> To: GOV - PRESS MEDIA ADVISORY DISTRIBUTION
> Subject: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to Unveil
> Alaska Commemorative
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> Governor Palin to Unveil Alaska Commemorative
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> Anchorage, Alaska - Governor Sarah Palin will unveil
> the Alaska
> commemorative quarter, Monday, April 23, 2007, in
> Anchorage. The design
> will be forwarded to the U.S. Mint which will
> release the coin in August
> 2008.

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> Who: Governor Sarah Palin and
> members of the Alaska
> Commemorative Coin Commission

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> What: Alaska's Commemorative
> Quarter Unveiling

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> When: April 23, 2007, 2:30 p.m.

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> Where: Alaska Mint, 429 West 4th
> Avenue, Anchorage

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> Contact: Meghan Stapleton (907)
> 269-7450

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:23 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: RE: judges

Yes. I received the names today for KNI and ANC district—the packets will be expressed mailed tomorrow. Tib and I also got an email from Chuck Kopp today so I'll follow up with him to get his thoughts on the names.

KNI: Patrick Hammers, Sharon Illsley, Joe Montague

ANC: Suzanne Cole, John Darnall, Catherine Easter, Richard Postma

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:08 PM
To: ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: judges

are we getting names forwarded for dis. court judges?
i have two emails from folks "putting in a good word" for a couple of names

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Unknown

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 9:25 AM

To: John Katz

Subject: Re: BP/May 3rd Congressional Hearing

Thank you John. It will be an interesting Committee hearing. This announcement of HCEC was big news up here yesterday.

John Katz <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org> wrote:

I thought that you would be interested in the attached exchange of correspondence between Bob Malone of BP and the House Committee on Energy and Commerce concerning pipeline corrosion on the North Slope and related matters. These issues were the subject on an article in today's ADN.

At BP's request, the hearing scheduled for May 3rd has been postponed to give the company more time to respond to Committee questions. Jonne Slemons was poised to testify for the State.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 6:21 AM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: RE: judges

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Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

Yes. I received the names today for KNI and ANC district—the packets will be expressed mailed tomorrow. Tib and I also got an email from Chuck Kopp today so I'll follow up with him to get his thoughts on the names.

KNI: Patrick Hammers, Sharon Illsley, Joe Montague

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 3:03 PM
To: Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Re: Isaacson on AGIA
 have him send this to legislators - things aren't going well today after the third producer said they're not playing.

jim bowles just called to tell me they're running ads tomorrow - and in a couple of days the three producers together will run ads.

the "end game strategy" is extremely necessary at this point, and we need our votes to get the gasoline process underway - that only happens with passage of AGIA.

i will start knocking on legislators' doors and setting up one on one meetings myself if/when i get word who it is having such heartburn over AGIA. these key legislators - whomever they are - need to be reminded of all Mayor Isaacson is saying in his piece here.

Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

FYI only as you head north on Thursday.

The text below will be a part of the Mayor's newsletter for May 1 (today).

Meghan N. Stapleton
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From: Doug Isaacson [mailto:doug_isaacson@hotmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 2:39 PM
To: melissa_stepovich@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Re: [Fwd: Press Release: Governor Palin Thanks North Pole Mayor & City Council for Signing AGIA Resolution]

Here's the text going into my May 1 Newsletter:
 Do You Know Who Owns Alaska?

As an Alaskan, did you know that YOU own the oil, gas, coal, gold and other mineral wealth in Alaska? Most Alaskans either do not know or have forgotten that our State is unique. Alaska is the ONLY State that has placed ownership of its mineral wealth in the hands of the people of the State—our wealth can not be owned by any one individual or corporation. We are not "paid to live here" as our PFD is often mistakenly explained. We are paid a dividend on the development of our resources. Let me share with you five very important ramifications we must embrace:

First: Alaskans are uniquely an "Owner" State. Since we are all owners, we must respect each other and develop our resources TODAY in order to provide maximum job opportunities for our people and allow our children the promise of jobs TOMORROW. Unfortunately, it seems some people in the State are intent on limiting opportunity and advancement for others and are trying to shut down the opportunity to develop the resources that will permit us to pay our own way well into the future, as a responsible State should and soon must.

Second: Because we are the owners, we can not succumb to powerful parties who would try to intimidate us with the idea that they will no longer cooperate in the development of our resources. I'm no lawyer, but that threat sounds shaky. Former Governor Walter J. Hickel wrote in the April 15, 2007 Anchorage Daily News, "(In) the 1984 Amerada Hess case that pitted the state against the producers(.) Judge Walter Carpeneti ruled that the "covenant to market" means that when a project involving the state's resources is 'reasonably profitable, measured on its own merit,' the producers have a duty to participate." In other words, we've been down this road before and we must NOT forget that our position as OWNERS means we bargain from strength not inability.

Third: We have both the ability to move forward in the development of our resources, and we have the responsibility to do so. How often are we going to fail to do what's necessary unless we find someone else to pay for our development? For example, it seems we won't build a road any more

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unless the Feds fund it. Are we going to drag our feet on the gasline unless the Producers do it? Have we forgotten that in the late 1960s our State leaders argued for Prudhoe Bay by being willing to produce the oil, with or without the Producers? Big Oil knew then we had the ability and knew that it was our right. To perhaps oversimplify the argument, it's time for us, **THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA**, and our leaders, to step forward with the will to bring to market our resources. The Producers have already stated that we are in a window of opportunity and they don't want to lose this profitable opportunity. Not unexpectedly, they will do everything in their power, during the negotiating period, to maximize every last bit of profit for themselves. And we, too, must responsibly move forward, without unnecessary delay, because the gasline is a project that will create good paying jobs for many of our people, and if done right—to include petrochemical production within our State, perhaps even right here in North Pole—natural gas becomes a legacy project that will positively impact our economy for our children's children! Development of our resources is not just a natural gas and oil issue, it also applies to all the vast mineral wealth throughout our State.

Fourth: The Alaska Statehood Act passed by Congress in 1958 gave 103 million acres, including the sub-surface rights to the people of the State of Alaska (approximately the same size as California). But what defines, "the people of the State?" There are quite a few people who reside in Alaska who do not have the success of State of Alaska in mind. I call these people, "transients." Sometimes they are transient by design, in order to stop the efforts of true Alaskans from developing a vigorous and self-sustaining economy; and sometimes they are accidental, just "doing time" until they can get back Outside. Personally, I don't consider a transient an Alaskan at all. Just because someone is able to collect a PFD check, doesn't really mean they have become an Alaskan at heart. There's no legal test that can be applied, just practical ones. For example, when asked about your State, if you respond with everything about the State from which you've come, you're NOT Alaskan! However, if you can see yourself as a vital and constructive part of the success of this State, no matter how small or how big a role you have in the effort, you are an Alaskan. Notice, *the test is not in whether you or I succeed in what we want to accomplish in this State, but whether or not we can put our individual accomplishment second to the success of the enterprise, the State of Alaska.* Don't get me wrong, we need to personally succeed in order to support ourselves and our families and to accomplish the greater good, but do we put our self motivated interests above the greater good? (You and I know people who say, "My success IS the greater good!") It all boils down to us working to better the present and future generations' ability to live and work in Alaska as we and they choose. Then there are no small roles; just limits to our imagination and our courage.

Finally: If you want your Permanent Fund Dividend check to really grow, imitate the corporate shareholder in a Wall Street company and **DEMAND MAXIMUM, RESPONSIBLE DEVELOPMENT AND RETURN** for the leases of your resources. Let your voice be heard with the "Board of Directors," i.e., the legislature and the Congress, and even affected parties like the Producers who have taken out the leases. Tell them, let's fund it! Let's get it done! Let's move forward! What about the Governor? She gets it. From what I can tell, AGIA is all about being an owner. Let's support her.

For our State—the State of Alaska—to succeed, every generation must have leadership that makes wise and hard decisions. It's time for you and me to step forward.

From: "Melissa M. Stepovich" <melissa_stepovich@gov.state.ak.us>
 To: doug_isaacson <doug_isaacson@hotmail.com>
 Subject: Re: [Fwd: Press Release: Governor Palin Thanks North Pole Mayor & City Council for Signing AGIA Resolution]
 Date: Mon, 30 Apr 2007 15:56:18 -0800

please :)

doug_isaacson wrote:

do you need me to re-send as text in the email?

-----Original Message-----

From: "Melissa M. Stepovich" <melissa_stepovich@gov.state.ak.us>
 Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 11:31 PM
 To: "Doug Isaacson" <doug_isaacson@hotmail.com>
 Subject: Re: [Fwd: Press Release: Governor Palin Thanks North Pole Mayor & City Council for Signing AGIA Resolution]

Thanks Doug. Bummer, I can't open the attachment.

Doug Isaacson wrote:

Melissa,
 You're welcome. I've attached the lead article that will come out in my May newsletter that explains why I'm personally supporting this Governor.
 Doug Isaacson, Mayor

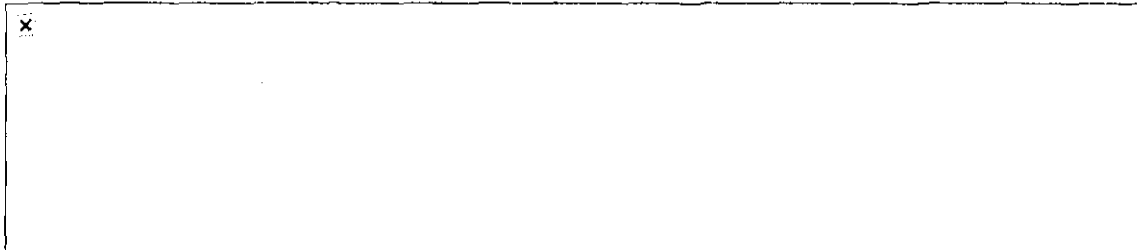
From: "Melissa M. Stepovich" <melissa_stepovich@gov.state.ak.us>
 To: doug_isaacson@hotmail.com, Mayor@northpolealaska.com
 Subject: [Fwd: Press Release: Governor Palin Thanks North Pole Mayor & City Council for Signing AGIA Resolution]
 Date: Mon, 30 Apr 2007 14:34:16 -0800
 Thank you very much for your support.

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Melissa

From: Sharon Busch <sharon_busch@gov.state.ak.us>
To: GOV - PRESS RELEASE DISTRIBUTION <prdistribution@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: Press Release: Governor Palin Thanks North Pole Mayor & City Council for Signing AGIA Resolution
Date: Mon, 30 Apr 2007 14:29:25 -0800



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**Governor Palin Thanks North Pole Mayor & City Council
for Signing AGIA Resolution**

April, 30, 2007, Juneau, Alaska – Governor Sarah Palin thanks North Pole Mayor Doug Isaacson and members of the North Pole City Council for supporting the Alaska Gasline Inducement Act through a Resolution of the North Pole City Council dated April 16, 2007.

"Alaskans across the State are supportive of AGIA," said Governor Sarah Palin. "They like that it establishes a public, open, transparent, and competitive process; jobs for Alaskans; gas for Alaskans; and timetables to get our gas to market as quickly as possible. I appreciate Mayor Isaacson and members of the City Council for publicly showing their support, and I look forward to continue working with them on the gasline."

The Alaska Gasline Inducement Act continues to make its way through the House and Senate finance committees. Leaders of both Chambers say they expect passage of AGIA before the legislative session ends.

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 2:15 PM

To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)

Subject: Re: Erik Drygas called

talked to him - tell meg he accepts - contact him with logistics when you need him

Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

Governor Palin,

Erik returned your phone call. He's very excited and looks forward to talking to you. I told him the time and location of the event, but told him you would follow up with him briefly. His number again is Privileged c

You're awesome.

Ivy Frye

Director of Boards and Commissions

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Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 9:44 AM
To: Meghan N Stapleton; Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Re: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner article

I'll try to appt a LBC fairbanks member that day also. Ivys working on it. If we go with Privil, Ivy, then submit his resume but not cover letter to Meg for her perusal. If we go with Privileged, pls share her resume with Meg also. Thnks

-----Original Message-----

From: Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Tue, 01 May 2007 09:06:05
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner article

Fairbanksan to fill vacant regents seat

By Stefan Milkowski

Published May 1, 2007

JUNEAU — A Fairbanksan will fill the University of Alaska Board of Regents seat vacated by Jim Hayes, according to a spokeswoman for Gov. Sarah Palin.

Meghan Stapleton, the spokeswoman, said Monday the governor had chosen a resident of Fairbanks to replace Hayes, who resigned last week. Palin will announce her appointment Thursday in Fairbanks at a Rotary International luncheon, where she was previously scheduled to speak, Stapleton said.

Hayes, a former Fairbanks mayor, resigned Friday under pressure from the governor and lawmakers and following a federal indictment on charges of fraud unrelated to his service on the board of regents.

Local lawmakers have expressed concern about Fairbanks' representation on the board, which is responsible for governing the statewide university system, and encouraged Palin to fill the seat with someone from Fairbanks.

Stapleton did not say who was chosen.

Meghan N. Stapleton

Communications Director

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 8:26 AM
To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
Subject: Re: DOA procurement in Wasilla

Thanks annette. I didn't know any of that. Thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette \ (Dept. of Admin\)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>
Date: Mon, 30 Apr 2007 17:27:22
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: DOA procurement in Wasilla

Governor:

Sorry it took me so long to get this response back to you. I needed to talk with the contracting officers and review the Invitation to Bid in addition to the correspondence surrounding this contract.

Royal Business Systems (RBS) bid on a statewide copier contract (issued September 15, 2006 - Prebid conference was Oct. 6, 2006, and bids had to be submitted by Dec. 20, 2006).

RBS has done work on some State copiers in the Valley prior to this bid, but as I understand it, they were seeking to increase their business through successful bidding on this contract.

Here is a brief summary of our award of copier contracts in the Mat-Su Valley:

On January 16, 2007, we issued a Notice of Intent for the statewide copier contract. Royal Business Systems was named as having six copiers in the Mat-Su Valley that were susceptible for award. However, their bid did not include the required evidence that their local service technician had manufacturer authorization or certification to service their copiers.

. On January 26, 2007, Valley Business Machines protested Royal's service technician qualifications. After multiple requests, Royal provided enough supplemental information that we initially determined their service technician met the ITB requirements and denied Valley's protest.

. On March 12, 2007, Valley submitted an appeal which continued to challenge the qualifications of Royal's service technician.

. On March 13, 2007, we requested that Royal have their manufacturers each provide a letter or email that clearly certified that their service technician is trained and authorized to provide service and maintenance on machines in the Mat-Su valley. They were given until March 20, 2007 to provide the evidence.

. On March 21, 2007, after not receiving any additional information from Royal, we determined them non-responsive for the Mat-Su Valley.

. On March 27, 2007, Royal protested our non-responsive determination and argued that we should not have required more information but provided no additional evidence.

. On March 29, 2007, we denied their protest. Royal did not appeal and we are proceeding to award. Valley Business Machines did provide the certifications of its technicians.

This situation revealed to the State Procurement Officer that the State needs to be more vigilant in ensuring that technicians for these contracts are certified to work on the machines bid. The State erred in its initial qualification of RBS, and had an opportunity to revisit that only because of the complaint by Valley Business Machines. The State is bound to respond when someone protests a bid. As you can imagine, sometimes the complaint is valid and sometimes not. In this case, it's hard to understand why RBS did not timely respond with its service technician's credentials, when the contract was on the line. Because it did not, it will be out of game on this contract. The contract has one-year extensions, and there will be another opportunity for RBS to correct the problems that it encountered on this contract. We are also committed to make the next contract simpler to respond to.

Governor, I want to be sure you're also aware of this background, although it doesn't bear on whether RBS' technicians are certified or not:

A year ago, Mr. David Eibeck, owner of Royal Business Systems, Privileged or Personal Material Re
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After discussion with the Attorney General's office he was advised on April 23, 2007 that, "The state considers altering an email message a serious matter that cannot be overlooked. As a result, we are suspending your contract though August 31, 2006, and requiring you to assign another individual to administer the contract and represent RBS (Royal Business Systems) in all dealings with State of Alaska personnel regarding copier sales and maintenance agreements and the Division of General Services. This condition would also apply to the upcoming solicitation that will result in new statewide copier contracts".

I hope this helps you evaluate the criticism that the State acted to "favor" someone else in this invitation to bid. It is my opinion in the face of all of the evidence I have seen, that that assertion is not true.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2007 7:11 PM
To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
Subject: DOA procurment in Wasilla

Thanks for the great event today Annette! That was fun - and it was great to see your husband there too.

Do you know of this issue mentioned in the email below? My brother is asking about someone who lost a contract with the state. Pls see below.

-----Original Message-----

From: chuck heath <chckheath@yahoo.com>

Date: Sat, 21 Apr 2007 09:41:10

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to Unveil Alaska CommemorativeQuarter

I'll call a few kids and see if they can make it. I

won't be at school Monday because I'll be at your

Volunteer Awards at the Sheraton.

A guy on my hockey team, Dave Eibeck (who you've met a

couple of times because he campaigned for you) told me

last night that someone in Dept. of Admin (in charge

of procurement) is playing favorites. He owns Royal

Business Systems and they sell and service copiers

around the state. He said he lost his Valley contract

with the State because they told him he wasn't
qualified to work on machines there...even though he
works on State machines every where else from
Southeast to Fairbanks.

Voice of the Times sounds desperate now. Keep it
positive and ignore them.

Did Track like the bike? We are going to Wasilla
today.

--- gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote:

> Sounds good. Still be nice to have next generation
> of AKns with us. Let me ask my brother if some of
> his students could be there at that time.
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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Meghan Stapleton

> <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

> Date: Fri, 20 Apr 2007 13:49:43

> To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

> Cc: 'Sharon Leighow'

> <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Kris Perry'

> <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Meghan Stapleton'

> <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

> Subject: FW: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to

> Unveil Alaska Commemorative

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> From: Sharon Busch

> [mailto:sharon_busch@gov.state.ak.us]

> Sent: Friday, April 20, 2007 12:20 PM

> To: GOV - PRESS MEDIA ADVISORY DISTRIBUTION

> Subject: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to Unveil

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> Governor Palin to Unveil Alaska Commemorative

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> Anchorage, Alaska - Governor Sarah Palin will unveil

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> commemorative quarter, Monday, April 23, 2007, in

> Anchorage. The design

> will be forwarded to the U.S. Mint which will

> release the coin in August

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> Who: Governor Sarah Palin and

> members of the Alaska

> Commemorative Coin Commission

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> What: Alaska's Commemorative

> Quarter Unveiling

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> When: April 23, 2007, 2:30 p.m.

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> Where: Alaska Mint, 429 West 4th

> Avenue, Anchorage

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> Contact: Meghan Stapleton (907)

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From: Stacy Goade [stacy_goade@eed.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 10:27 AM
To: Ludwig; Bruce (DOA sponsored)
Cc: Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Kreitzer; Annette (Dept. of Admin)
Subject: RE: Negotiations Update April 30, 2007

Thanks for the update Bruce. Today is my last day in my state supervisor position and I want to let you know that I support your message below. Supervisor's have not had adequate pay raises, have taken on more work, cannot find qualified people for vacant positions, deal with constant turnover and put in a lot of extra hours to make sure state responsibilities/work are completed. I have decided to leave Juneau and move to Anchorage to find employment outside of state government. It is not so desirable to work for the state any longer. If I were remaining in state employment, I would vote to strike for a new contract. There is money in the state accounts, and I feel that supervisors who hold a lot of knowledge, experience and responsibility continue to be devalued. Enough is enough. The fact that Commissioners can get a 34% increase and they are temporary appointments sickens me as a state employee and as a tax paying citizen.

Regards,
Stacy Goaded

From: Bruce Ludwig [mailto:bludwig@apea-aft.org]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 6:41 PM
To: bruce_senkow@dot.state.ak.us
Subject: Negotiations Update April 30, 2007

Fellow Supervisors,

We are back at the negotiating table this week. A federal mediator is now brokering discussions between us and the Administration's negotiators. Unfortunately and not surprisingly, it is not going well. As we have been saying all along, we are in this battle for the long haul. It seems clear the Palin Administration has little interest in reaching an agreement with their employees.

The state is sitting on Billions of dollars in surpluses. In addition there are Billions of Dollars in the various state savings accounts. It's clear when the state needed to raise salaries to recruit qualified and competent Commissioners, they did...by 34%.(see attached graph) The state can find money when they want to.

This is not about finding money, or about the state's ability to pay. This is about the Palin Administration valuing their supervisors.

Your negotiating team,

Bruce Senkow (Northern primary) Tim Viavant (alternate)
Dean Williams (Southcentral primary) Bill Parker (alternate)
John White (Southeast primary) Ray Preston (alternate)
Bruce Ludwig (Chief Spokesperson)

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 6:40 AM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Re: judges

Go back to bed!

-----Original Message-----

From: "Ivy Frye" <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Tue, 1 May 2007 06:29:17
To: "Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: judges

Sounds good.

And yes, tom sent a res during transition. I'll print a copy this morning.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: "Ivy Frye" <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>
Sent: 5/1/07 6:22 AM
Subject: RE: judges

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Subject: judges

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 2:57 PM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: FW: Halcro Blog

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"Lt. Governor Sean Parnell" <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

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Let me know your thoughts when

you have time. Sean

From: Kate Morgan [mailto:kate_morgan@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 2:22 PM
To: 'S Parnell'
Cc: 'Jay Pullins'; 'Kelly Clifton'; 'Kris Showalter'; 'Kate Morgan'
Subject: Halcro Blog
Importance: High

The Lt. Governor and a moment of opportunity
By Andrew Halcro

It was a question that was whispered quietly during the first few weeks of AGIA testimony. During the last few weeks of AGIA testimony, the question has been raised publicly. Where is the voice of Lt. Governor Sean Parnell?

From talk show hosts to legislators to journalists, Parnell's noticeable absence during the debate over AGIA has many wondering why. After all, as one local columnist wrote rhetorically, wasn't he considered the brains of the organization when it came to oil & gas.

At least that was the hope. And for awhile hope was plentiful.

On day one of Governor Sarah Palin's administration, Parnell was a high profile in meet and greets with the oil & gas industry concerning the construction of an Alaska Natural Gas Pipeline. For pipeline advocates this was a reassuring sign, as Parnell with his calm, cool operating style and his history as a respected legislator, was considered the greatest hope to provide a counterbalance in an incoming administration known to be openly hostile towards the oil & gas industry.

After the election, Parnell was instantly embraced by given a key role in handling budget matters during the transition. He became Governor Palin's wingman on fiscal issue for press conferences and talk show appearances.

Whenever the Governor was asked a question of any magnitude about state finances,

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she'd step back almost on cue and Parnell's voice instantly filled the void. His previous experience of serving eight years in the legislature, including two years as the powerful Senate Finance Co-Chair, gave him the street credibility to talk about Alaska's fiscal outlook. However, as soon as the budget was handed off to the legislature, he disappeared.

Two weeks ago before I a meeting with the Governor's gas line team, Parnell made his position known. I've heard people ask where I am and I'll tell you I'm behind the Governor and AGIA, he said. During the last two weeks, Parnell has become more of a visible pitchman for AGIA. He penned an Op/Ed entitled "Turn the Private Sector Loose", which has been published in local newspapers. Yesterday at a press conference, he offered his first public quote on AGIA saying, "These producers treat the legislative process as a negotiation". But when you hear his voice and read his words, someone has to ask, does he really believe in AGIA.

During his term in Juneau, Parnell was a key legislator who participated in crafting the Stranded Gas Act as well as the development agreement terms that made the Northstar field a reality. Ironically, both deals recognized the need for give and take to encourage development, something that AGIA lacks.

He was always a small government guy whose belief rested in the fact that government didn't know best. During his final two years as a State Senator was the driving force behind adopting missions and measures for state government so the legislature could more accurately analyze the bang they were getting for their buck.

During a particularly tough budget year in 1999 when criticism was mounting that Alaska wasn't doing enough to invest in necessary services, he offered up a moving response. In a speech that was dubbed "Rachel's Hands" Parnell argued tough decisions had to be made because he wanted to protect his daughter by not saddling her with a government she couldn't pay for when she grew up.

Since that speech, oil production has declined over 40% and the cost of state government has almost doubled due to higher operating costs and changing demographics. By all accounts, the sense of urgency for Alaska to get a pipeline deal is now and that's what makes Parnell's unequivocal support for AGIA so confusing.

In his recent Op/Ed, he promotes AGIA by advocating the benefits of a new approach. However, I couldn't get past the first paragraph with a straight face. Parnell opens his opinion piece by writing, "It astonishes me that Alaska's political pundits think it is up to the state to get a gasline. Government doesn't make private sector projects happen, the private sector does".

However, if you truly believe the private sector makes projects happen, then AGIA ought to scare the hell out of you. As it is designed today, AGIA represents government – not the private sector- establishing a list of unrealistic demands with the threat of take it or will try and make you take it anyway.

After all, if you really believe the private sector makes projects happen, you recognize the fact that the private sector does so only after evaluating all relevant financial and legal risks. If you believe the private sector drives development, you recognize that the more complex and riskier the project, the more need for flexibility and stability, not less. If you believe the private sector that makes projects happen, you understand that government bureaucrats are the last people that should be forcing poorly thought out development terms down the throat of the private sector. However AGIA violates all of the fundamental premises that Parnell argues for in his Op/Ed piece and certainly contradicts his legislative and personal history. In the legislature as a respected leader, he recognized the need for diplomacy and negotiations to create partnerships with the private sector. And as a former small business owner, Parnell understands the risks associated with opening your doors for business every day.

In the last few days, with both AGIA bills in the House and Senate Finance Committees, the testimony has become more and more direct. All major producers have said without some basic changes to AGIA they will not offer a bid. Yesterday, Enbridge Pipeline Company repeated what it has consistently said since day one; no producers – no pipeline. Ironically, the changes

the private sector is advocating for would recognize Parnell's argument he attempted to make in his Op/Ed piece; the private sector, not government will make a pipeline happen. Maybe Parnell's AGIA contradiction has to do with being a team player. Maybe it has to do with political expediency or maybe he is a true believer in AGIA. In any case, if AGIA is actually going to work, it needs changes.

Without some changes, Alaska could choose a partner who has no gas, no credit and no way to finance the project. To add insult to injury, according to the terms of AGIA, Alaska could be stuck with this same non performing partner for up to 11 years as well be liable for almost a billion dollars in penalties if we want to get out of the deal.

Lt. Governor Parnell, you have a chance to be a hero and protect the hands of every Alaskan, young and old alike.

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From: Tom Irwin [tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 11:39 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Meghan N Stapleton; Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Bitney; John W (LAA)
Cc: Martha K Rutherford; Patrick S Galvin; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: RE: FAIRBANKS TRIP / RESOLUTION

Meg, It looks like I have an opportunity to talk to a couple of Fairbanks C of C committees on Thursday afternoon. After Rotary and before Michael Dukes. Please coordinate with Melissa Privileged. I am glad to do this. Please let me know. Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

To: "Meghan N Stapleton" <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>; "Tom Irwin" <tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>; "Joseph R Balash" <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>; "John W Bitney" <john_bitney@gov.state.ak.us>

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Sent: 5/1/07 9:41 AM

Subject: Re: FAIRBANKS TRIP / RESOLUTION

Doug will prob be at rotary mtg and I'll try to squeeze in phone call to steve instead of mtg.

Hopefully more munis will pass resos. Bitney: would you remind AML's lobbyist that we want this?

-----Original Message-----

From: Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

Date: Tue, 01 May 2007 09:28:38

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "'Irwin, Tom E (DNR)'" <tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>, 'Joe Balash' <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>

Cc: 'marty_rutherford' <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>, 'Patrick Galvin' <patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us>, mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us

Subject: FAIRBANKS TRIP / RESOLUTION

Don't know if you saw this article, this morning. With your trip north this week, it might be nice to shake hands with Mayor Isaacson and personally thank him. And then I would suggest a meeting with Mayor Steve Thompson who said he wants a better understanding of the legislation before weighing in. Any thoughts on this?

Thanks,

Meg

North Pole mayor backs pipeline bill

By Chris Eshleman

Published May 1, 2007

Mayor Doug Isaacson and North Pole City Council members have come out in support of Gov. Sarah Palin's Alaska Gasline Inducement Act, which lays out incentives aimed at spurring construction of a natural gas pipeline.

Isaacson said he supports Palin's approach toward building a pipeline. Her gas team's style is a change from that of previous state officials who had proposed "surrendering" the state's interests to those of the oil companies, he said.

"This governor is thinking of ways to push for a fair pipeline," Isaacson said. "We need to push forward. Now's the time, the window of opportunity is not getting any longer."

The city of Fairbanks and the Fairbanks North Star Borough have not taken official stances on Palin's plan.

Fairbanks North Star Borough Mayor Jim Whitaker has openly supported Palin's approach toward spurring pipeline construction and said a couple of Borough Assembly members have commented that a statement of support could be "appropriate." Whitaker is also chairman of the Alaska Gasline Port Authority, a governmental entity of the Fairbanks and North Slope boroughs and the city of Valdez that is proposing to build the gas line.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 6:50 PM
To: Meghan N Stapleton; Tom E Irwin; Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Re: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner

The sched got packed today. I can't see any time in there at all.

-----Original Message-----

From: Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Tue, 01 May 2007 18:35:30
To: 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, 'Tom Irwin' <tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>
Cc: 'Joe Balash' <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner

Fairbanks Daily News-Miner editor, Rod Boyce, called today and asked for an editorial board meeting while the Governor is in town. I hadn't thought of it before because the Governor's schedule has been tight and I left a space, that's now filled, for more briefings for Barrow. What shall we do? Do you have any heartburn if I say ~ so sorry, the schedule's been packed.

Meghan N. Stapleton

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 6:34 PM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Comparing notes

Asked him to keep you in loop - he wanted to know if you sensed common ground that producers/state could find in last wks before Agia vote.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Lt. Governor Sean Parnell" <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Tue, 01 May 2007 17:52:51
To: 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Comparing notes

Governor,

Mike came down today and shared a bit of info related to budget and AGIA. Can you tell me whether you asked him to come over and what you asked him to accomplish in the visit??

Sean

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From: govpalin@gov.state.ak.us
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 5:50 PM
To: Erika Fagerstrom; Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Special service invitation

Am I around then Kari?

-----Original Message-----

From: Erika Fagerstrom <erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Tue, 01 May 2007 17:32:34
To: govpalin@gov.state.ak.us, 'Kari Spencer' <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: FW: Special service invitation

Hello Governor and Kari,

This was sent to me, and I'm not sure how to proceed. Please advise, if you'd like to deal directly with Pastor Rose in regards to this request or through me. I'm not involved with the coordinating of this event- like I was for the Prayer Lunch, but am willing to help coordinate this on behalf of the Governor, if this is something you are interested in pursuing.

It seems like it would be personal not state business, so if that's the case and you'd like me to follow-up on a personal/faith level—just let me know. I'd be happy to do whatever. J

Thank you,

Erika

Hi Erika,

I would like to offer an invitation for Gov. Palin to share an opening greeting to people at a special service open to everyone on June 17th at 2:00 p.m. featuring the Internationally known Pastor Dr. John Hagee. This inspiring service will focus on Christians uniting together to help Israel. The service will last until 3:30p.m.

I have included a rather lengthy Bio because John Hagee's impact and influence on our world is substantial.

Please contact me with any questions regarding this event.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Rose

JOHN HAGEE BIO

John C. Hagee (b. April

12: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/April_12> , 1940: <<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1940>>) is the founder and senior pastor: <<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pastor>> of Cornerstone Church in San Antonio: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/San_Antonio> , Texas, a non-denominational evangelical church with more than 18,000 active members.

Hagee is the President and CEO of John Hagee Ministries which telecasts his national radio and television ministry carried in America on 160 TV stations, 50 radio stations and eight networks. The ministries can be seen and heard weekly in 99 million homes. John Hagee Ministries is in Canada on the Miracle Channel and CTS and can be seen in Africa, Europe, Australia, New Zealand and is in most developing nations: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Developing_nation> .

He is also the president and CEO of Global Evangelism Television, which telecasts his radio and television ministry. Hagee has received numerous honors and accolades from national Jewish organizations for his unwavering support of Israel. In pursuit of his support of Israel, Hagee helped found Christians United for Israel on February 7, 2006 as a "Christian AIPAC" lobbying Congress to support Israel.

Hagee was awarded the "Humanitarian of the Year" award by the San Antonio B'nai B'rith Council. It was the first time in the history of San Antonio that this award has been given to a Gentile: <<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gentile>> . Dr. Hagee was presented the ZOA Israel Award by U.N. Ambassador Jean Kirkpatrick. This award was given by the Jewish Community of Dallas, Texas. He was presented the ZOA Service Award by Texas: <<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Texas>> Governor Mark White: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mark_White> . Houston Mayor Kathy Whitmire issued a special proclamation in his honor declaring Pastor John C. Hagee Day. Hagee has received numerous honors and accolades from national Jewish organizations for his support of Israel.

Hagee has been to Israel twenty-two times and has met with every Prime Minister: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Prime_Minister> since Menachem Begin. John Hagee Ministries

has given more than \$8.5 million to bring Soviet Jews from the former Soviet Union to Israel. Dr. Hagee is also the Founder and Executive Director of "A Night to Honor Israel", an event which expresses solidarity between Christians and Jews on behalf of Jerusalem, the State of Israel and the United States. [4].

On February 7, 2006, John Hagee and 400 leaders from the Christian and Jewish communities formed a new national organization called Christians United For Israel (CUFI) [5]. This organization is focused on communicating the need to defend Israel, in light of biblically-based matters, with members of the United States Congress.

From: Michael Rose [mailto:mikeroose58@hotmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 26, 2007 11:04 AM

To: erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us

Subject: Special service invitation

Michael J. Rose

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From: Governor Sarah Palin [governor@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 3:36 PM
To: ci@akmk.com
Subject: RE: Economic_Development

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you

have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and

every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person

in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 29, 2007 2:33 PM
To: governor@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Economic_Development

Web mail from: Mr. Kathleen Menke
address: PO Box 781
Haines AK 99827

MESSAGE:

This is regarding the upcoming postal rate increases and how they are going to negatively affect businesses in Alaska, particularly rural Alaskans, who do not have cost-effective UPS and Fed X options.

The postal rate increases coming for May 14 (urgent!) are going to have a big impact on my business and other businesses in Haines.

Those who sell and ship books, like myself, from rural Alaska are going to be especially hard hit.

Priority Mail for Bound Printed Matter will now go from \$4.05 per flat rate priority

mail (up to two pounds) or \$2.12-\$2.83 (for former first class/bound printed matter) to \$4.60 to \$7.50, depending on the zone to which the package is being shipped. From Haines, we are shipping to the higher number zones (6-8 for the most part). So, effectively the cost of shipping one to two books for my business will increase from \$2.12 or \$4.05 to up to for the most part \$6.55 to \$7.50.

Media rate is being discontinued for parcels over 15 pounds (the size of cartons of books). Elsewhere in the country, publishers are being advised to use UPS or Fed X. That obviously is not a solution for us here in Haines.

The increase for a first class letter is minor compared with other price increases that will affect local business shipping and ordering scenarios.

If you will E-mail me at ci@akmk.com, I can send an attachment with the actual changes that will affect rural Alaskan book publishers, such as myself, and most other Alaskans.

I hope Sarah Palin and the Alaska Legislature can help support Senator Stevens in addressing this issue at the federal level.

Regards, Kathleen

ci@akmk.com

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 5:07 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: William Andrews

Governor Palin,

I wanted you to know that William stopped by my office this afternoon. We talked for nearly 45 minutes regarding his thoughts on the University, the Board of Regents, his plans after graduation, his internship with the Legislature, etc. He's top notch. Very humble, polite and articulate. He even took an opportunity to praise two of the other nominations and spoke to their exceptional qualifications (the nominees from Kenai and Mat-Su).

William reiterated that the university needs to hold the line when it comes to spending and said that a lot of the university projects (as well as other state capital projects) are contingent upon getting a gasline built. He's a proponent of vocational education, keeping Alaskans in Alaska, conservative budgeting and spending, and living within our means. He believes the last two years the state has been very generous in both the operating and capital budget toward the university and can see why the state would want to curb spending this year.

He's committed to fulfilling the two year requirement as a student regent and wouldn't have applied if he didn't think he could fulfill the obligation to the administration and the board. He will be in Juneau for the next year where he will begin a master program in education/teaching and then spend a semester in Anchorage to student teach and then come back to Juneau to graduate. His long term goal is to move to Anchorage to be closer to his daughter.

PS—I know you're going out of town this week. I'd be more than happy to stay with the girls if they wouldn't mind hanging out with me again.

Thanks,

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 1:29 PM

To: Meghan Stapleton; 'Sharon Leighow'

Cc: Michael A Tibbles; Mike Nizich; gov.sarah@yahoo.com; John W Bitney; Katz; John W (GOV)

Meghan and Sharon,

These letters went out today re: nominations for federal fish boards.

Dr. Roland Maw was nominated by Governor Palin for the North Pacific Anadromous Fish Commission. Dr. Maw will be the permanent and alternate nomination.

Mike Heimbuch was nominated by Governor Palin for the Bering Sea Fisheries Advisory Board. Daniel Carney will be the alternate nomination.

Alan Austerman submitted resignation letters to Governor Palin, Secretary Condoleeza Rice, and President Bush. Please let me know if you need any other information.

Thanks so much,

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 8:35 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: letters to the editor

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 11:16 AM
To: Jackson; Karleen
Cc: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Michael A Tibbles
Subject: Ed Rasmusen

Commissioner Jackson,

Governor Palin tried to reach Mr. Rasmusen regarding his role on the Health Council. She had me follow up with him this morning. He said he would call you today to hear more about the Council.

Thank you,

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 3:33 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Chris Clark's Birthday

Today is Chris Clark's birthday. We just found out! I'm sending Jacob to get him a coffee card for you to present him if you're interested.

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From: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
[mailto:KREITZER@JUNEAU.STATE.AK.US]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 10:43 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: DOA procurement in Wasilla

One more thing, so that you don't get blindsided: I gave Division of General Services approval to award this contract to Valley Business Machines, a qualified bidder. That will probably happen today or tomorrow.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 8:25 AM
To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
Subject: Re: DOA procurement in Wasilla

Thanks annette. I didn't know any of that. Thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>
Date: Mon, 30 Apr 2007 17:27:22
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: DOA procurement in Wasilla

Governor:

Sorry it took me so long to get this response back to you. I needed to talk with the contracting officers and review the Invitation to Bid in addition to the correspondence surrounding this contract.

Royal Business Systems (RBS) bid on a statewide copier contract (issued September 15, 2006 - Prebid conference was Oct. 6, 2006, and bids had to be submitted by Dec. 20, 2006).

RBS has done work on some State copiers in the Valley prior to this bid, but as I understand it, they were seeking to increase their business through successful bidding on this contract.

Here is a brief summary of our award of copier contracts in the Mat-Su Valley:

. On January 16, 2007, we issued a Notice of Intent for the statewide copier contract. Royal Business Systems was named as having six copiers in the Mat-Su Valley that were susceptible for award. However, their bid did not include the required evidence that their local service technician had manufacturer authorization or certification to service their copiers.

. On January 26, 2007, Valley Business Machines protested Royal's service technician qualifications. After multiple requests, Royal provided enough supplemental information that we initially determined their service technician met the ITB requirements and denied Valley's protest.

. On March 12, 2007, Valley submitted an appeal which continued to challenge the qualifications of Royal's service technician.

. On March 13, 2007, we requested that Royal have their manufacturers each provide a letter or email that clearly certified that their service technician is trained and authorized to provide service and maintenance on machines in the Mat-Su valley. They were given until March 20, 2007 to provide the evidence.

. On March 21, 2007, after not receiving any additional information from Royal, we determined them non-responsive for the Mat-Su Valley.

. On March 27, 2007, Royal protested our non-responsive determination and argued that we should not have required more information but provided no additional evidence.

. On March 29, 2007, we denied their protest. Royal did not appeal and we are proceeding to award. Valley Business Machines did provide the certifications of its technicians.

This situation revealed to the State Procurement Officer that the State needs to be more vigilant in ensuring that technicians for these contracts are certified to work on the machines bid. The State erred in its initial qualification of RBS, and had an opportunity to revisit that only because of the complaint by Valley Business Machines. The State is

bound to respond when someone protests a bid. As you can imagine, sometimes the complaint is valid and sometimes not. In this case, it's hard to understand why RBS did not timely respond with its service technician's credentials, when the contract was on the line. Because it did not, it will be out of game on this contract. The contract has one-year extensions, and there will be another opportunity for RBS to correct the problems that it encountered on this contract. We are also committed to make the next contract simpler to respond to.

Governor, I want to be sure you're also aware of this background, although it doesn't bear on whether RBS' technicians are certified or not:

A year ago, Mr. David Eibeck, owner of Royal Business Systems, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Privileged or After discussion with the Attorney General's office he was advised on April 23, 2007 that, "The state considers altering an email message a serious matter that cannot be overlooked. As a result, we are suspending your contract though August 31, 2006, and requiring you to assign another individual to administer the contract and represent RBS (Royal Business Systems) in all dealings with State of Alaska personnel regarding copier sales and maintenance agreements and the Division of General Services. This condition would also apply to the upcoming solicitation that will result in new statewide copier contracts".

I hope this helps you evaluate the criticism that the State acted to "favor" someone else in this invitation to bid. It is my opinion in the face of all of the evidence I have seen, that that assertion is not true.

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2007 7:11 PM

To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)

Subject: DOA procurment in Wasilla

Thanks for the great event today Annette! That was fun - and it was great to see your husband there too.

Do you know of this issue mentioned in the email below? My brother is asking about someone who lost a contract with the state. Pls see below.

-----Original Message-----

From: chuck heath <chckheath@yahoo.com>

Date: Sat, 21 Apr 2007 09:41:10

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to Unveil Alaska CommemorativeQuarter

I'll call a few kids and see if they can make it. I

won't be at school Monday because I'll be at your

Volunteer Awards at the Sheraton.

A guy on my hockey team, Dave Eibeck (who you've met a

couple of times because he campaigned for you) told me
last night that someone in Dept. of Admin (in charge
of procurement) is playing favorites. He owns Royal
Business Systems and they sell and service copiers
around the state. He said he lost his Valley contract
with the State because they told him he wasn't
qualified to work on machines there...even though he
works on State machines every where else from
Southeast to Fairbanks.

Voice of the Times sounds desperate now. Keep it
positive and ignore them.

Did Track like the bike? We are going to Wasilla
today.

--- gov.sarah@yahoo.com wrote:

> Sounds good. Still be nice to have next generation

> of AKns with us. Let me ask my brother if some of

> his students could be there at that time.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Meghan Stapleton

> <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

> Date: Fri, 20 Apr 2007 13:49:43

> To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

> Cc: 'Sharon Leighow'

> <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Kris Perry'

> <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Meghan Stapleton'

> <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>

> Subject: FW: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to

> Unveil Alaska Commemorative

> Quarter

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> We thought unveiling at the Alaska Mint would be

> most appropriate and so we

> have a great set-up there.

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> Meghan N. Stapleton

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> Communications Director

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> Office of Governor Sarah Palin

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> From: Sharon Busch

> [mailto:sharon_busch@gov.state.ak.us]

> Sent: Friday, April 20, 2007 12:20 PM

> To: GOV - PRESS MEDIA ADVISORY DISTRIBUTION

> Subject: Media Advisory: Governor Palin to Unveil

> Alaska Commemorative

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> Media Advisory, April 20, 2007

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> Governor Palin to Unveil Alaska Commemorative

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> Anchorage, Alaska - Governor Sarah Palin will unveil

> the Alaska

> commemorative quarter, Monday, April 23, 2007, in

> Anchorage. The design

> will be forwarded to the U.S. Mint which will

> release the coin in August

> 2008.

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> Who: Governor Sarah Palin and

> members of the Alaska

> Commemorative Coin Commission

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> What: Alaska's Commemorative

> Quarter Unveiling

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> When: April 23, 2007, 2:30 p.m.

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> Where: Alaska Mint, 429 West 4th

> Avenue, Anchorage

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> Contact: Meghan Stapleton (907)

> 269-7450

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> Sharon Busch

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From: Kris Perry [kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 12:31 PM
To: 'mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us'; 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: FW: Letter of Resignation

FYI. Mary will be moving back to Minnesota.

From: Mary Havens [mailto:mary_havens@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 11:40 AM
To: 'Kris Perry'
Subject: Letter of Resignation

Kris,

This is to notify you, that I regrettable will be leaving the Office of The Governor. My last day will be May 18, 2007. After a great deal of thought and consternation, I will be moving back to my family in MN. I will miss you and this office a great deal. It has been my pleasure working with you. I admire and respect you so much and will miss seeing your bright and beautiful face. God has so blessed me with you and the governor in my life. I will be eternally grateful.

May blessings for you during this journey,

Mary A. Havens
Constituent Relations Assistant
550 W. 7th Ave.
Anchorage, AK

907-269-7456

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 9:53 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner article

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I'll be in touch. Thanks.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 9:44 AM
To: Meghan N Stapleton; Ivy J Frye
Subject: Re: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner article

I'll try to appt a LBC fairbanks member that day also. Ivys working on it. If we go with Privil, Ivy, then submit his resume but not cover letter to Meg for her perusal. If we go with Privileged, pls share her resume with Meg also. Thnks

-----Original Message-----

From: Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Tue, 01 May 2007 09:06:05
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner article

Fairbanksan to fill vacant regents seat

By Stefan Milkowski

Published May 1, 2007

JUNEAU — A Fairbanksan will fill the University of Alaska Board of Regents seat vacated by Jim Hayes, according to a spokeswoman for Gov. Sarah Palin.

Meghan Stapleton, the spokeswoman, said Monday the governor had chosen a resident of Fairbanks to replace Hayes, who resigned last week. Palin will announce her appointment Thursday in Fairbanks at a Rotary International luncheon, where she was previously scheduled to speak, Stapleton said.

Hayes, a former Fairbanks mayor, resigned Friday under pressure from the governor and lawmakers and following a federal indictment on charges of fraud unrelated to his service on the board of regents.

Local lawmakers have expressed concern about Fairbanks' representation on the board, which is responsible for governing the statewide university system, and encouraged Palin to fill the seat with someone from Fairbanks.

Stapleton did not say who was chosen.

Meghan N. Stapleton

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 8:48 AM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Cc: Michael A Tibbles
Subject: Re: B&C

what are due dates here?

youth seat should obviously go to young people who have been supportive and on the same page with my agenda from months ago until now - we don't have to put strangers on that commission or any other when i'm still being told we have hundreds who have offered to help and have been there from the beginning.

i won't know the AWIB - ask todd and click and tara or whomever has been working on those names for the bd

same with MTAB - who's been strategizing for that one?

Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

Governor Palin:

If you feel up to going over some boards today, I was hoping to touch base with you regarding the following:

- 1) Final decisions on Children's Trust (whether you'll Privileged or Personal Material Redacted)
- 2) Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
- 2) Marine Transportation Advisory Board (MTAB)
- 3) Alaska Workforce Investment Board (AWIB). The board I've been working with the Department of Labor on
- 4) Community Service Commission youth seat—I was thinking we could plug in one of the regent nominations you don't select?

Hey, if you have pipeline and/or budget items you want to focus on today, don't worry about it. We'll get these squared away next week.

Thanks,

Ivy Frye
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From: Ivy Frye [ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 7:42 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV); Janice L Mason
Cc: Michael A Tibbles; gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Court Nomination Interviews

Kari and Janice:

- My office received the Fairbanks Superior Court nominations last week. The deadline for appointment is June 1st. I'd like to schedule one hour for interviews the week prior to the deadline (May 21-May 25). There are four nominations and individual interviews shouldn't last more than 15 minutes.
- Also, I received the Anchorage and Kenai District Court nominations yesterday. The deadline for appointment for each court is June 15th. I'd like to schedule 2 one hour interviews for each of the courts' nominations the week prior to the deadline (June 4-June 8). There are three nominations from Kenai and four nominations from Anchorage.

It's possible that Governor Palin will not interview all of the nominations, rather just the top candidates; however, I would still like to block an hour for each court just to be safe.

I am very flexible, and of course very aware of the busy schedules of both the governor and Mike. Please let me know how I can better accommodate this request.

Thanks for all of your help!

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 1:45 PM
To: Frye, Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Fwd: Kenai and Anchorage District Courts

Note: forwarded message attached.

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 8:49 AM
To: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Otierney; Daniel P (LAW); Talis Colberg
Cc: Larry Persily; Bishop; Samuel T (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Craig J Tillery; Kristi Duff; Governor Sarah Palin
Subject: Re: Conoco-Maratho/Natural Gas Exports

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Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

>>> On 5/2/2007 at 12:44 PM, in message
<s6384f8d.077@smtpa.law.state.ak.us>, "Daniel Patrick O'Tierney"
<Daniel_Patrick_O'Tierney@law.state.ak.us> wrote:

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>>> John Katz <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org> 5/2/2007 7:50 AM >>>
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Subject: Re: Conoco-Maratho/Natural Gas Exports

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Thanks for the update, all.

Sincerely,

Sarah

-----Original Message-----

From: "Daniel Patrick O'Tierney" <Daniel_Patrick_O'Tierney@law.state.ak.us>

Date: Wed, 02 May 2007 08:44:42

To: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>, "Tom Irwin" <tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Talis Colberg" <Talis.Colberg@law.state.ak.us>

Cc: "Larry Persily" <paper@alaska.com>, "Sam Bishop" <sbishop@ALASKADC.org>, "Marty Rutherford" <marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Joseph Balash" <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>, "Michael Tibbles" <michael_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>, "Craig Tillery" <Craig_Tillery@law.state.ak.us>, "Kristi Duff" <Kristi.Duff@law.state.ak.us>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: Conoco-Maratho/Natural Gas Exports

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 9:45 AM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: Sen. Green

Sean - between you and me, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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-----Original Message-----

From: "Lt. Governor Sean Parnell" <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Wed, 02 May 2007 09:17:08
To: 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Cc: mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Sen. Green

Governor,

I ran into Sen. Green on the street (who has known me since I was a boy) and she said it would be nice to visit--so I invited her to my office at 10:00 a.m. Is there anything specific you want me to address or information you need clarified/verified from her?

Sean

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 9:26 AM
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Re: AGIA/potential amendments

Sounds good - running it by gas team today. Thank you

-----Original Message-----

From: "Lt. Governor Sean Parnell" <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Wed, 02 May 2007 09:13:41
To: 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: AGIA/potential amendments

Just to let you know, Mike T. followed through again this morning by seeing me. He
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I'm going to run this by the gas team this morning at 11:00 a.m. to see what elements I might be missing. I'll let you know if I have any other thoughts on this but I passed this to Mike and wanted you to have the same information.

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 5:49 PM

To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)

Cc: Michael A Tibbles

Subject: Re: FW: Aviation Advisory Board

what was the deal with Privileged tho? barber is the only one i know personally and i want him on it
- don't know the others so are they good or bad?

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Update on Aviation:

We were considering Jack Barber for the public seat and re-appointing Bob Jacobsen to the regional air carrier seat.

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From: Ivy Frye [mailto:Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 5:15 PM

To: 'Paul Landis'

Cc: 'Leo von Scheben'

Subject: RE: Aviation Advisory Board

Paul,

Thanks for following up. Governor Palin hasn't made any final decisions on the Aviation Advisory Council, but we are nearing some announcements. I would say next week we will know more.

Thank you,

Ivy

From: Paul Landis [mailto:paul.landis@alaska.com]

Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 8:59 AM

To: Ivy Frye

Cc: Leo von Scheben

Subject: Aviation Advisory Board

Hello Ivy,

Could you please give me an update on where Boards and Commissions are at with respect to the Alaska Aviation Advisory Board? I'd like to schedule a meeting sometime soon, but would like to see the future composition of the Board in attendance.

I understand that there are higher priorities for the Governor right now than fleshing-out Boards, but look forward to hearing some news from you soon.

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Thanks in advance,

Paul Landis
Acting Chair, AAAC

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 12:08 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Anna C Kim
Subject: RE: suicide prevention

Thanks. I'll keep this on file. I looked up the roster and terms expire on this board in October. Suicide Prevention members also serve at the governor's pleasure if you want to make some changes before Oct.

Ivy

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2007 8:35 AM
To: ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Fwd: suicide prevention

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potential bd member

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Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 12:05 PM
To: 'mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us'; 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: 'Meghan Stapleton'
Subject: Kelsey

Mark wants to accept the position. He'd work in the Valley office a few days a week and in Anchorage two days. His primary functions would be constituent relations (in more of an outreach capacity) and communications. Colleen would work out of the Anchorage office. I have a mtg. w/Colleen (requested by her) tomorrow morning.

He would like to give one month notice. After which he needs to go back east for a week. So, we'd be looking at early June. Meg is okay with that.

Please advise before I proceed any further.

Kris

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 3:00 PM
To: Sarah Palin; Michael A Tibbles
Subject: Privileged

Kris called today. She touched base with Privileged He'd serve on the Health Council if you still needed him, but he understands if the board is already filled. Maybe he could be the honorary chair if there is a hold up there?

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 5:29 PM
To: Sarah Palin; Michael A Tibbles
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Paul Landis
Acting Chair, AAAC

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 11:32 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Michael A Tibbles
Subject: Chris Hayes

Chris Hayes serves on the Human Rights Commission. This is a board where cause is needed for removal. There is a Human Rights Commission meeting tomorrow. The chair contacted me today to say that Chris' attendance is infrequent. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

We have already removed her from AWIB b/c members serve at governor's pleasure.

Thanks,

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Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 7:29 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Michael A Tibbles; Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: ANC and KNI District Court Nominations

My office received the Anchorage and Kenai District Court nomination packets yesterday, May 1st. Governor Palin has 45 days to appoint a judge to each of the two courts. The deadline is Friday June 15, 2007. I will set up time with Kari regarding interviews and begin some background checks/vetting today.

AG Colberg: I have a packet here for your review.

Governor Palin: I think you have some emails and/or names of endorsers you were going to send on to me.

Kenai District:
Patrick Hammers
Sharon Illsley
Joe Montague

Anchorage District:
Suzanna Cole
John Damall
Catherine Easter
Richard Postma

Thanks,

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From: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
[mailto:O=DEC/OU=JUNEAU/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=ANNETTE_KREITZER]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 3:56 PM
To: 'Meghan Stapleton'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); 'mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us';
'john_bitney@gov.state.ak.us'; 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Kim; Anna C (GOV); 'Jim Merriner';
Brooks; Kevin (Dept. Admin); Bailey; Frank (Dept. of Admin); Petro; Rachael (Dept. of Admin)
Cc: Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Notti; Emil R (CED)
Subject: Labor Rally May 3 in Juneau

GGU, Supervisors and CEA (ASEA and APEA) unions will have a "Show you Care" rally on the 8th Floor outside deck of the State Office Building in Juneau Thursday, May 3 at noon. Concurrently, the National Day of Prayer will be happening on the Capitol steps.

I want to be sure you know that the State has been bargaining seriously and fairly. I have personally met with the Union leadership of ASEA and APEA and their bargaining teams to express that Governor Palin wants a contract and I want a contract. We want the best and brightest employees for the State, we are concerned about recruitment and retention and will be working to identify the factors contributing to this issue. I am not yet convinced that salary is solely responsible for the recruitment and retention pressures the State is currently facing.

A federal mediator has been meeting with our bargaining teams and the union bargaining teams this week. I believe progress is being made, based on the reports I get from our teams.

Let me know if you have questions.
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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 11:57 AM
To: Michael A Tibbles; gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: Health Council

From: Jackson, Karleen [mailto:karleen_jackson@health.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 11:17 AM
To: 'Ivy Frye'
Subject: Health Council

Ivy -

FYI, my meeting this morning was trumped by AGIA (which will be the subject of today's press conference) - so I'm still on-call for a meeting with the Governor and Chief of Staff regarding my conversation with Ed before we have a final roll-out of the Council.

At least we have a sunny day in the meantime. More as things develop...

Karleen

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 1:49 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: RE: Kenai and Anchorage District Courts

I heard the same endorsement from Chuck Kopp today re: Privile and Privileg

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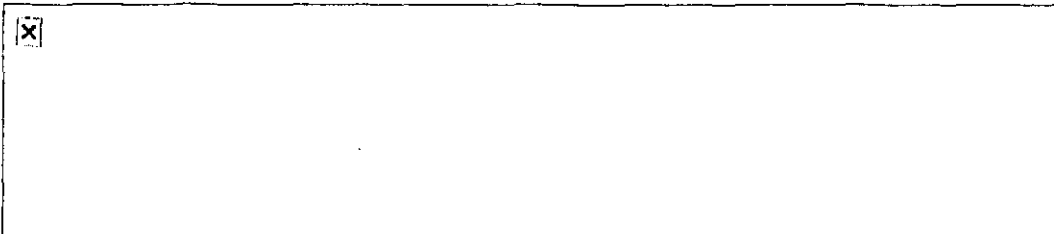
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From: Meghan Stapleton [meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 1:03 PM
To: 'Sarah Palin'; S R Parnell; Tom E Irwin; Patrick S Galvin; Martha K Rutherford; Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Bitney; John W (GOV); Clark; Christopher G (GOV)
Cc: Sharon W Leighow; Meghan N Stapleton; Morgan; Katryn L (GOV)
Subject: PRESS CONFERENCE IS ABOUT TO BEGIN. RELEASE IS HEADING OUT THE DOOR IN ROUGHLY 30 MINUTES.
Importance: High

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**AGIA Team Discusses Must-Haves & Introduces Consultants
 Releases White Paper
 Prepares for Producer Media Blitz**

May 3, 2007, Juneau, Alaska – Members of the State's AGIA team held a press conference today to discuss AGIA's must-haves and introduce natural gas pipeline experts who serve as consultants to the State of Alaska.

"Nothing in AGIA or the process of AGIA prevents the producers from developing gas this very second," said Governor Sarah Palin, who is traveling today. "They are not. After 30 years, at today's projected gas prices, Alaskans deserve to have reasonable demands. The days of low expectations are gone."

"The state's must-haves either protect Alaska's financial future, or Alaskans gas needs, or are procedural in nature," said Department of Natural Resources Deputy Commissioner Marty Rutherford. "We know the producers are saying 'Don't use must-haves, let us tell you what you need.' To this day, we don't know which must-haves bother the producers. In all of our individual meetings with them and throughout public testimony, we have never been given the specifics of what they don't like – is it the jobs for Alaskans, gas for Alaskans, pipeline expansion opportunities?"

The twenty must-haves stated within AGIA fall within one of three categories: *Protecting Alaska's Interests, Meeting the Needs of Alaskans, and Procedural.* For the breakdown, please see the attachment entitled: AGIA Application Requirements.

Four natural gas pipeline experts and consultants to the State of Alaska are in Juneau answering legislator questions and providing testimony. They bring years of experience in the natural gas pipeline business. The experts helped the AGIA team with their expertise when AGIA was first put together and they continue to help the team to ensure that the process is commercially reasonable.

"We have experts with us, with decades of experience in the natural gas industry in all of

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North America, in particular with developments in the last 15 years where sharing the risk among different participants is commonplace," said Department of Revenue Commissioner Patrick Galvin. "Producers won't acknowledge or discuss these risk-sharing agreements, even though they are a party to many of them. These natural gas pipeline experts were hired to tell us how the real world really does work."

The experts are: Donald Shepler, Ken Minesinger, Scott Hobbs, and Bill Sparger. Biographical information follows:

Donald Shepler has approximately 30 years of experience in the natural gas pipeline industry as regulatory counsel for interstate gas pipelines. He was also counsel for the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee when that committee submitted comments and testimony to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. That work helped the State win some significant provisions in Order 2005.

Ken Minesinger has advised various natural gas pipeline companies and other clients before the FERC. He also is a past Chairman of the Antitrust Committee of the Energy Bar Association. Along with Mr. Shepler, he advised the Legislative Budget and Audit Committee and authored two papers addressing the competitive problems associated with a producer-owned Alaska pipeline. He can speak directly to how AGIA helps solve many of those problems.

Scott Hobbs has 30 years of natural gas industry experience. Over the past six years, he has advised investment bankers, private equity firms, and other investors evaluating major projects, acquisitions, and divestitures involving oil and gas pipelines, processing plants, power plants, and gas distribution assets. Prior to that, he spent 24 years in the gas pipeline industry, including eight years as the Chief Operating Officer of a major pipeline company in the Rocky Mountain region.

Bill Sparger has more than 35 years experience in project management, design and construction of natural gas pipelines, compressor stations, and gas processing facilities. Most recently, he worked for Entrega Gas Pipeline Company on a large diameter natural gas pipeline project. He also provided initial project management oversight for a proposed 1300 mile 42" pipeline from the Cheyenne Hub to eastern Ohio. That project is moving forward today with BP and ConocoPhillips participation.

Additionally today, the AGIA team released its "White Paper on AGIA," which lays out seven popular claims / concerns raised by the producers. The state's AGIA team responds to each one in the document, which is attached to this press release.

With less than two weeks left in the session, the producers have purchased a media blitz attacking AGIA over the remaining days. The AGIA team will stand strong and committed to protecting the state's best interests and those of Alaskans.

"While we appreciate the heads-up on the coming media blitz, it is disappointing to me that the producers always resort to the same media campaigns time and time again," said Governor Sarah Palin. "They will spend hundreds of thousands of dollars trying to convince Alaskans they don't need jobs or gas - that the producers don't need to give a timeline to the state. The bottom line is that Alaskans own the gas. I am confident Alaskans will see through the expensive media campaign."

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 6:11 AM

To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Meghan N Stapleton; Sharon W Leighow

Subject: erik

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Ahhh...imagining that irresistible "new car" smell?
Check out [new cars at Yahoo! Autos.](#)

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From: Dan Spencer [danspencer@gci.net]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:27 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)
Subject: National Day of Prayer

Here is the language of the proclamation, Governor. I don't think it's so bad, considering that we have to be so darned careful about covering all the different groups out there. For the record, you did not sign it, I'm sure it was signed by the signature machine, most procs are. I do not know who wrote it, but I will find out tomorrow. I hope you are having a good day in Fairbanks. Kari.

National Day of Prayer

The Continental Congress called for a National Day of Prayer in 1775. In 1863, Abraham Lincoln established a proclamation for a day of "humiliation, fasting, and prayer." A joint resolution by Congress, signed by President Truman in 1952, declared an annual, national day of prayer. And in 1988, President Ronald Reagan set aside the first Thursday in May as the National Day of Prayer.

Following the devastating event the United States experienced on September 11, 2001, President Bush reminded us that the Congress, through Public Law 100-307, called on citizens to reaffirm the role of prayer in our society and to honor the religious diversity our freedom permits by recognizing this day annually.

As Governor, I recognize that the people of Alaska represent a variety of cultural and religious traditions. I believe that each community of faith warrants the recognition and respect of others.

It is not the intent of this proclamation to promote a particular religion, but rather to encourage thoughtful reflection on the condition of our state and country and to honor our freedom of religious expression whether that is prayer, alms giving, fasting, peace activism, meditation, promotion of social justice, or another form of contemplative action.

Let us not forget that the liberty and freedoms we enjoy are promoted and protected by the willingness, dedication, and sacrifice of our country's military servicemen and women.

On May 3, 2007, I urge you to join fellow Americans across racial, political, and religious boundaries to observe the National Day of Prayer within your respective communities and faith traditions.

May we be thankful for our blessings, reflect on the many needs of our state and nation, treat our neighbors with dignity and respect, and seek moral and spiritual renewal through the religious or spiritual expression which most closely aligns with who we are as individuals.

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**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sarah Palin, Governor of the State of Alaska, do hereby proclaim
May 3, 2007, as:**

National Day of Prayer

**in Alaska and encourage Alaskans to keep the health, well-being, prosperity, and peace
of our state, nation, and world in mind on this day.**

Dated: April 2, 2007

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin [governor@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 2:01 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: FW: BOF Appointees

From: Joel & Audra Doner [mailto:Bluenose-snowplow@worldnet.att.net]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 12:04 PM
To: sarah_palin@gov.state.ak.us; Sen. Lesil McGuire
Cc: Senator_Thomas_Wagoner@legis.state.ak.us; Senator_Lyda_Green@legis.state.ak.us;
 Senator_Bert_Stedman@legis.state.ak.us; Senator_Charlie_Huggins@legis.state.ak.us;
 Senator_Gary_Stevens@legis.state.ak.us; Senator_Bill_Wielechowski@legis.state.ak.us
Subject: Re: BOF Appointees

Senator Lesil McGuire,

Thank-You for your time and consideration. Senator, with all due respect, I believe you have been mislead concerning Larry Edfelt on Commercial fishing. He is not a friend of Upper Cook Inlet fishermen. Please review his comments made at recent BOF teleconference regarding the emergency petition. He spoke very strongly against managing this fishery according to the escapement goals prescribed in the management plan. If you would like more info on this please feel free to contact me again at any time. This issue is extremely important to me and I appreciate your concern. As far as balance on the BOF is concerned, I am very worried that members appointed under the guise of a commercial fishery proponent who then act in opposition to our needs only skew the BOF even farther away from what is fair. Commercial fishermen in Cook Inlet have never asked for more than their fair share, only to be able to harvest surplus stocks above escapement goals, including a sport harvest. Is that so Unreasonable? Recent years have seen repeated overescapement to both the Kenai and Kasilof rivers simply because the BOF has taken away the ability of trained managers to use their tools to manage. With a Cook Inlet meeting of the BOF coming up this next winter, the importance of this issue is paramount to my livelihood. The BOF is an extension of the Legislature and it is your prerogative to ensure integrity of that board. Please resist confirmation of Howard Delo and Larry Edfelt. Once again, Thank-You for your time.

Joel Doner

----- Original Message -----

From: Sen. Lesil McGuire
To: Joel & Audra Doner
Sent: Thursday, April 19, 2007 10:34 AM
Subject: RE: BOF Appointees

Dear Joel,

I truly appreciate your letter. I am currently reviewing all of their qualifications and will add your important email to my binder. I have many commercial fisherman contacts who believe that although they would prefer Roland Maw, that Larry Edfelt is a good pick for commercial interests too. There is no question though, that Howard Delo is a sports fish guy. So, what I will be looking for is balance. The commercial industry is an important part of our economy and your livelihood matters to me a great deal.

Warmly,

Lesil

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From: Joel & Audra Doner [mailto:Bluenose-snowplow@worldnet.att.net]
Sent: Wednesday, October 17, 2007 10:15 AM
To: Sen. Lesil McGuire
Cc: Sen. Bill Wielechowski; Sen. Gary Stevens; Sen. Charlie Huggins; Sen. Bert Stedman; Sen. Lyda Green; Sen. Tom Wagoner
Subject: BOF Appointees

Senator Lesil McGuire,

This is the first time I have written to you mostly because I reserve such action for what I believe is truly important. The issue at hand is of extreme importance to me. You soon will be faced with confirmation hearings on three Board of Fish appointees and I have great concerns with two of these men. As you know, the Board of Fish is to be balanced and fair. I am a commercial fisherman and am increasingly worried about a BOF that is becoming more and more unbalanced. Two of these men lean strongly toward sport fisheries issues while at least one would be replacing a commercial leaning member. I have voted for you in the House as well as the Senate because I feel you are the right person for the job, and hope that you see the gravity of this issue. Howard Delo and Larry Edfelt are poor (at best) candidates for the BOF. Please resist their confirmation. There were some great candidates seeking those appointments (Roland Maw and Dwight Kramer) that I wish Gov. Palin would have supported. Thank-You for your time and consideration.

Joel Doner
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:56 AM
To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Privileged or P

-----Original Message-----

From: Sean Parnell <Privileged or Personal M>
Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 07:54:28
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Privileged or P

Thanks. I've seen Privileged around this week.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:38 AM
To: Sean Parnell
Subject: Fw: Privileged or Persc

Fyi

-----Original Message-----

To: Meghan N Stapleton
To: Sharon W Leighow
Sent: May 3, 2007 7:12 AM
Subject: Fw: Privileged or Per

Meg: after that "great" mtg we had yest with Privileged and leg leaders,
bitney found him holed up with Privileged or in some rest, Privile left when
spotted, but others spoke loudly and about strategy against agia. Just fyi

-----Original Message-----

To: John W Bitney

To: Michael A Tibbles

Sent: May 3, 2007 7:05 AM

Subject: Privileged or Perso

Re: [Privile] hooking up with [Privilege] last nite; don't let them play you. Or me.
That was a good, quick lesson in how most of these guys works and they
probably take us as naïve fools. Bit: it was meant to be that you walked
into that restaurant last nite and saw that.

I hear too often that stuff like that is happening bc some think they do
have us under their thumb. Again, glad you saw what you saw bc I learned a
lesson about [Privileged] (and others) through that.

I'm off to fairbnks

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:47 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV); Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV)
Subject: Hagee

Is sched free to do john hagee event in june? Pls cc me and erika on that. Thanks!

Unknown

From: S R Parnell [sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:10 AM
To: Galvin; Patrick S (DOR)
Cc: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Upstream

Pat,

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted



Sean

----- Original Message -----

From: Patrick Galvin <patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us>

Date: Wednesday, May 2, 2007 10:03 pm

Subject: RE: Amendments

To: S Parnell <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us>

> Sean, I didn't see this until now. Sorry. We met with House and
> Senate leadership at 5, and they proposed a process to resolve
> outstanding issues with AGIA. Three members of each body would be
> selected to form a work group with the Admin to go over
> amendments. The agreed upon language would then go before the
> respective finance committees for quick movement to the floor. We
> agreed to give it a shot if it happened quickly. They said the
> first meeting should occur tomorrow. The Senate members are
> Hoffman, Stedman, and Huggins. We found out late tonight that the
> House members are Samuels, Chennault, Kelly, and Joule (they're
> going with four). I imagine we'll try to get together for a first
> meeting Thursday afternoon.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:06 AM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Re: erik resume 2

Thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 07:05:15
To: 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, megan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us, sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: RE: erik resume 2

Incase that didn't work...

2000 Bachelor of Arts, Elementary Education, UAF

1999-2000 Student Teaching, Weller Elementary School

Professional Experience:

2000-Present, Head Hockey Coach, West Valley High School

Alaska High School Hockey Coach of the Year, 2003

1997-Present, Radio Color Commentator for UAF Hockey

1997-2000, Website Correspondent for Colorado Avalanche Hockey Team, (Denver, CO)

AWARDS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Alaska High School Hockey "Coach of the Year" (2003)

Anchorage Daily News Coaches' Poll

National Leadership Conference for Youth with Disabilities (2000)

Selected by President's Committee on Employment with Disabilities

"Goldie" Award (2004, 2003, 2002)

Presented by Alaska Broadcasters Association

"Alaskan of the Year" Award (1999)

Presented by the Governor's Committee on Employment and Rehabilitation of People with Disabilities

"Harris Shelton Spirit" Award (1997)

Presented by UAF Athletics

Retirement of UAF Hockey jersey (1997)

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Retirement of Lathrop High School Hockey jersey (1997)

Presented by Lathrop High School

"Community Service" Award (1995)

Presented by the Waterloo Blackhawks Junior A Hockey Team

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Laura Stamm International Power Skating School

Volunteer Instructor (1992 - present)

- Doyon Homeowners' Association, Architectural Planning Committee (2001 - present)
- Doyon Homeowners' Association Board of Directors (2004 - 2005)
- UAF Hockey Alumni Reunion Planning Committee (2004 - 2005)
- UAF Hockey Head Coach Hiring Committee (2000)

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 6:11 AM

To: ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us; megan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us;

sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us

Subject: erik

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Ahhh...imagining that irresistible "new car" smell?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 10:34 PM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Erika Fagerstrom
Subject: Re: Hagee

I should try to get back to juno for this one

-----Original Message-----

From: Kari Spencer <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 12:19:36
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: 'Erika Fagerstrom' <erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: RE: Hagee

WGA summer meeting is June 10-12 in South Dakota. You have the Global seafood expo in Soldotna on June 13 if you choose to go. The Sunday (or weekend) Erika is asking about, June 17, hasn't been decided yet as to what city you'll be in.

Kari Spencer
Governor's Scheduler
907-465-3986 phone; 907-465-3889 fax

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:47 AM
To: Kari L Spencer; erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us
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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 10:32 PM
To: Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); Patrick S Galvin; Rutherford; Martha K (DNR)
Cc: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Re: Nice job.

Great! I'm so glad we presented a new angle today. Great job.

-----Original Message-----

From: Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 14:06:57
To: 'Patrick Galvin' <patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us>, marty_rutherford@dnr.state.ak.us
Cc: 'Tom Irwin' <tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>, 'Joe Balash' <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Sarah Palin' <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, 'Sharon Leighow' <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Meghan Stapleton' <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: Nice job.

I thought you did a great job and that the press conference went very well. Almost an hour of access, clarification, and response to the producers was time well invested.

Thank you,

Meghan

Meghan N. Stapleton

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 10:28 PM
To: Annette E Kreitzer
Subject: Re: National Day of Prayer proclamation

No, it doesn't sound like me - pls Let em know I didn't write it - no one showed it to me
- Kari reports it was the signature machine signing. But its water under the bridge now.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette \ (Dept. of Admin\)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 18:00:09
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Relevant portions:

"It is not the intent of this proclamation to promote a particular religion, but rather to encourage thoughtful reflection on the condition of our state and country and to honor our freedom of religious expression whether that is prayer, alms giving, fasting, peace activism, meditation, promotion of social justice or another form of contemplative action.

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Now, therefore...proclaim ...as National Day of Prayer in Alaska and encourage Alaskans to keep the health, well-being, prosperity, and peace of our state, nation and world in mind

on this day."

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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 5:54 PM

To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)

Subject: Re: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Did I siGn it?

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette \{Dept. of Admin\}" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>

Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 17:52:27

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: National Day of Prayer proclamation

I don't know, it was delivered to my office - so I don't know who signed off on it. It was in final form when I received it, so I thought that you had seen it. These are usually done by Michelle Fabrello, but it's been my experience that someone in the Governor's office signs off on it. I don't know anymore than that.

ak

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 5:49 PM

To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)

Subject: Re: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Who wrote the proclamation?

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette \ (Dept. of Admin\)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>

Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 16:35:02

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Governor:

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After the Governor's Prayer Breakfast, and your statements there (which I again heard much positive feedback on today from the pastors who were at the Day of Prayer gathering), the proclamation was almost embarrassing. I am always honored to offer remarks on your behalf and I don't mean to sound ungrateful for the opportunity - but, you asked us to tell it to you straight and so, I'm believing that you meant that.

I held onto this email for about 30 minutes before sending it. In that time, I was told the Valley pastors who gathered for National Day of Prayer did not read the proclamation because of the wording. I guess that's my confirmation that I should hit the send button.

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To: Todd Palin; Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Michael A Tibbles; John W Bitney
Subject: Re: UAA

We're still looking for something for both Privile and Privilege - and they've both been offered a few things and Privilege was appointed to Post Secondary Educ Commission - Privilege was NOT gunning for Regents. Don't know who told you what - but my admin team and I know that I can't please everyone.

-----Original Message-----

From: Todd Palin <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>
Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 19:36:57
To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: UAA

I've heard through the grape vine (not from Privile) that Privileged is disappointed in not getting the call for the regent seat. If you have any future plans for her, I think you should give her a call to let her know. They were both huge supporters from day one, unlike the many, who have received opportunity, who became supporters after Aug 22.

Don't get soaked. Take a quick peak at the forecast with the Yahoo! Search weather shortcut.
http://tools.search.yahoo.com/shortcuts/#loc_weather

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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 5:54 PM
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Governor:

It was reported to me this way, so let me be sure that in fact the pastors didn't read it and we can figure out a way to say that you didn't see it before it went out. (Your machine signature, I think, is what's on it).

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I hope if there's criticism revc on this that it will be explained that I didn't write it - in fact I'll have to ask kari if I even signed it. Pls tell valley pastors that I'm sorry, and also exp that I didn't write it.

--Original Message-----

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To: Annette E Kreitzer; Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Subject: Re: National Day of Prayer proclamation

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-----Original Message-----

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To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 8:46 AM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Meghan N Stapleton; Sharon W Leighow
Subject: Re: erik resume 2

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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 11:00 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Skag

No, \$100.00 one-way flight.

Kari Spencer

Governor's Scheduler

907-465-3986 phone; 907-465-3889 fax

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:36 AM
To: bristol palin; Kari L Spencer
Subject: Fw: Skag

Is that rd trp? So is kng air same prc?

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kari Spencer" <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 07:17:34
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: Skag

I'll check. It seems like the ferry was 55.00 and the flight was 150.00 -- I have the amounts at work.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Kari Spencer
Sent: Thu May 03 07:08:18 2007
Subject: Skag

How much for a ferry ride or king air (or commercial) seat to get to skagway? In case a visitor wants to go with us on sunday.

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From: Kari Spencer [kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 9:38 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Skag

Wings airfare is \$100.00 and the Fairweather is \$48.00 for adults and \$24.00 for children under 12 years old.

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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 3:31 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin; Michelle Fabrello
Subject: RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Yes, please let her know that the Governor can only recommend people she knows.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin [mailto:governor@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 1:45 PM
To: 'Kari Spencer'
Subject: FW: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Should I tell her the governor only does recommendation letters for people she knows personally?

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Tuesday, May 01, 2007 4:20 AM
To: governor@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Ms. naiomi marden

address: 865 marie ct apt 15 newport news VA 23601
757-613-7765

MESSAGE:

Madam,

I am a resident of alaska. I enlisted in the Navy in October of 2000. I have been in the Navy for 6 an

a half years. I have shown the ability to excell in numerous fields. I have worked for

commodores and

Captains. I am now applying for the STA-21 Officers program. I was wondering if I would be able to get an

endorsement letter from you.

V/r,

OS2 (SW/AW) Marden

Uss Carl Vinson (CVN 70)

Norfolk, Virginia

naomi.marden@cvn70.navy.mil

PLEASE ADD TO E-NEWS

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 11:58 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Todd Palin
Cc: Michael A Tibbles
Subject: MTAB

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 8:39 AM
To: Michael A Tibbles; Mike Nizich; Katz; John W (GOV); gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: 2007 FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL NOMINEES FROM ALASKA

-----Original Message-----

From: Linda Moon [mailto:Linda.Moon@noaa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 8:25 AM
To: Ivy Frye
Cc: Doug Mecum; Alan Risenhoover; William Chappell; James Burgess; denby_lloyd@fishgame.state.ak.us; Jim Balsiger
Subject: 2007 FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL NOMINEES FROM ALASKA

All of the North Pacific nominees submitted by Governor Palin of Alaska have completed their forms and therefore will be considered for nomination.

Attached - List of names in alphabetical order.

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 2:39 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Michael A Tibbles
Subject: FW: regents

Governor,

We've had several phone calls from people complimenting you on your selection. Congratulations!

Jeannie Phillips from the University called also to say that most of the student regent and student commissioner nominations called to ask when the announcement would be made for those vacancies. I let her know those appointments would be coming soon. Besides the student regent decision, there are also two students nominated to fill one seat on the Post Secondary Education Commission. Below is part of my observations from my interviews with them. I've copied the information on the regents that I sent you last week also. I'm sorry this is so much information—could be good reading for the flight :)

Alaska Post Secondary Education Commission:

Robert Bell, UAA: He's the current student commissioner and has applied for re-appointment. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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John Roberson III, UAA: Received more votes from his peers than Robert Bell. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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From: Ivy Frye [mailto:Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 10:02 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: RE:

Student Regents:

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From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Saturday, April 28, 2007 8:52 AM
To: ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: confidential

confidential so not even staff starts talking about the Regents appt...

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dont let folks know who i'm asking about bc i dont' want anyone talking me in or out of the regent appts
thanks!

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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 12:23 PM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Kris Perry
Subject: Anch Gov's Picnic

Kris can reschedule the Anch Gov's Picnic from July 20 to July 27. NGA is July 20 in Michigan. Do you think you'll do your "family" part of Michigan before or after NGA? If it's after NGA, the picnic on July 27 would not work. FYI the King Air will be down the whole month of July so we'll have to go commercial with whatever we do.

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From: Ivy Frye [ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 10:30 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Meghan N Stapleton; Sharon W Leighow
Subject: RE: erik resume 2

Yes. West Valley High School Varsity head coach.

Also, Alaska coach of the year in 2003. His team won the State Academic Award in 2003, 2004 and 2006 for highest cumulative gpa of team members statewide.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 10:26 AM
To: Ivy J Frye; Meghan N Stapleton; Sharon W Leighow
Subject: Re: erik resume 2

Coach at hs correct

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From: Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 10:06:02
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, 'Meghan N Stapleton' <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>, 'Sharon W Leighow' <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>
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Erik isn't teaching currently. He's working as the full time hockey coach and radio commentator for UAF Hockey.

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To: Michael A Tibbles; gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: Judicial Council Mtg with Palin Administration

Larry Cohn is the executive director of the Judicial Council, the board charged with nominating judge candidates for the governor's consideration. They will be in town for a meeting in July to interview candidates for the Juneau Superior Court and have requested a meeting that has been tentatively set up in the conference room. We will be able to ask questions regarding their process for nomination, vetting, background checks, and specifics on all of the nominations we've received thus far.

From: Ivy Frye [mailto:Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:53 AM
To: Cohn, Larry S (AJC)
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Larry,

There is a tentative meeting set up with Governor Palin, Mike Tibbles, the members of the Judicial Council, you, and me on July 12th. I will be in touch when the date becomes more firm.

What time on the 12th could you all arrive in Juneau? This will help in finding a time to meet in the conference room. We prefer to have a meeting where we can hear from each of the members and converse casually, rather than have Governor Palin stand up and give a speech. I look forward to hearing from you regarding arrival times so I can touch base with Kari Spencer, the governor's scheduler. I will also check with Attorney General Colberg to see if he will be in Juneau that day and can attend the meeting also.

Thanks Larry!

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 UAF Elementary Education Program Requirement

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- Manage two full-time assistant coaches, two team managers and approximately 20 players per season.
- Responsible for raising a minimum of \$12,000 per year to support annual expenses related to team needs.
- Report directly to the school's Assistant Principal.
- Communicate regularly with parents and student athletes.
- Created and designed the team's web site; update regularly (www.westvalleyhockey.com).
- Coordinate the annual awards banquet for the team.

1997 – Present **Radio Color Commentator for UAF Hockey**
 KSUA 91.5 and KYSC 96.9

- Serve as color commentator for UAF hockey on the radio and Internet broadcasts.
- Announce in conjunction with play-by-play commentator.
- Throughout the broadcast, provide game analysis for all UAF hockey home games (approximately 20 per season).

1997 – 2000 **Web Site Correspondent**
 Colorado Avalanche Hockey Team (Denver, Colorado)
 National Hockey League (NHL)

- Served as Internet communication liaison between Colorado Avalanche team and fans (position based in Fairbanks, AK).
- Served as information source for fans inquiring about the Colorado Avalanche team.

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mhubbard@northstar.k12.ak.us

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Tel. 907-458-5316
mike.powers@bannerhealth.com

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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:06 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Michael A Tibbles
Subject: RE: Lbc

He had an interview with the school district up there. I will also pass resume on to Mike incase that doesn't pan out for him.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 6:59 AM
To: Ivy J Frye; Michael A Tibbles
Subject: Re: Lbc

Did you tell mike he's looking for job? Pls givce him resume. Thanks!

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From: Ivy Frye <ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 06:57:08
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, 'Meghan N Stapleton' <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>
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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 6:40 AM
To: Ivy J Frye; Meghan N Stapleton
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Iv- what did Privilege say about lbc?

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To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Erika Fagerstrom
Subject: RE: Hagee

WGA summer meeting is June 10-12 in South Dakota. You have the Global seafood expo in Soldotna on June 13 if you choose to go. The Sunday (or weekend) Erika is asking about, June 17, hasn't been decided yet as to what city you'll be in.

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Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 7:47 AM
To: Kari L Spencer; erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Hagee

Is sched free to do john hagee event in june? Pls cc me and erika on that. Thanks!

Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 10:51 PM
To: Clark; Christopher G (GOV); Anders; Bruce F (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Banks; Kevin R (DNR); Crosley; Marie M (DNR); Marcia R Davis; 'Don Shepler'; Patrick S Galvin; Gibson; Kurtis K (DNR); Harris; Bonnie E (LAW); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Johnson; Anne L (LAW); Lesh; Melanie G (DNR); Thompson; Nan G (DNR); Ostrovsky; Larry (LAW); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Scott; Antony G (DNR); Lana B Steinert

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Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 7:02 AM
To: Lloyd; Denby S (DFG); Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Bishop; Samuel T (GOV); 'Michael Tibbles'; 'Governor Sarah Palin'
Subject: Subsistence/Kenai - PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEY/CLIENT PRIVILEGE

As we agreed, I spoke with Senator Stevens' staff in the aftermath of our internal discussion yesterday concerning subsistence use on the Kenai.

The staff liked the various elements we discussed - letter to the Secretary, further advocacy at the FSB followed by possible litigation, and some sort of rider in the appropriations process. The staff will be meeting among themselves this afternoon to discuss these options and one other variant - prohibiting funding to the FSB until the regulations concerning customary trade and closures have been finalized.

The staff reiterated that the Senator is quite upset about recent FSB decisions. Accordingly, they are not prepared as yet to rule out a simple rider in the appropriations process that would declare the Kenai Peninsula as non-rural for subsistence purposes.

I should also mention that the Senator has talked previously with Secretary Kempthorne about the Kenai situation. However, for several reasons, neither the staff nor I believe that the Secretary or Deputy Secretary is prepared to intervene with the FSB, except perhaps to demand completion of the closure and CT regulations that were requested much earlier.

In this regard, the Deputy Secretary is now reviewing a draft of closure regulations submitted to her recently by the FSB. The State's comments on earlier drafts have been provided to her.

When I know more at this end, I'll be back in touch.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

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Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 7:56 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Clark; Christopher G (GOV); Bitney; John W (LAA); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); Sean Parnell; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Cc: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: RE: AP: Former Murkowski consultant challenges AGIA

On a lighter note:

At yesterday's press conference, Steve Quinn, in the lead up to his question on Dan Dickenson's testimony asked if it was the equivalent of "Asking Donald Rumsfeld to come back and testify at a hearing on the war in Iraq." The room erupted, and the press conference later ended with Bill McAllister complaining loudly that Quinn stole his Donald Rumsfeld line.

After the presser was over, Dave Donaldson, told me he had characterized the event to a colleague as "The Empire Strikes Back." He went on to say that he thought it was good after the beatings we had taken from the producers over the previous week.

-Pat

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Cc: Sharon W Leighow
Subject: Re: AP: Former Murkowski consultant challenges AGIA

Holy geez - didn't pedro and murk even tout how "wildly profitable" the gasline is, last year?

How inconsistent can their arguments get?!

And you know what you can tell Privileged now. I learned my lesson there.

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From: Christopher Clark <christopher_clark@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 22:31:06
To: "Anders, Bruce F (DNR)" <bruce_anders@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Balash, Joseph R (GOV)" <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us>, "Banks, Kevin R (DNR)" <kevin_banks@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Crosley, Marie M (DNR)" <marie_crosley@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Davis, Marcia R (DOR)" <marcia_davis@revenue.state.ak.us>, "Don Shepler" <SheplerD@gtlaw.com>, "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us>, "Gibson, Kurtis K (DNR)" <kurtis_gibson@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Harris, Bonnie E (LAW)" <bonnie_harris@law.state.ak.us>, "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Johnson, Anne L (LAW)" <anne_johnson@law.state.ak.us>, "Lesh, Melanie G (DNR)" <melanie_lesh@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Nan Thompson" <nan_thompson@dnr.state.ak.us>, "Ostrovsky,

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Cc:'John W Bitney' <john_bitney@gov.state.ak.us>,mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us,'Meghan Stapleton'
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Subject: AP: Former Murkowski consultant challenges AGIA

May 3, 11:02 PM EDT

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By STEVE QUINN
Associated Press Writer

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) -- Dan Dickinson, once a tax consultant to former Gov. Frank Murkowski, on Thursday challenged the methodology used by Gov. Sarah Palin's administration to assess the potential value of a natural gas pipeline to North Slope oil and gas producers.

Polarizing views on the project's value to the producers and what state-sponsored financial assistance is needed go to the heart of what's kept Alaska from getting a gas line built. It's a dispute that appears to have no imminent resolution, either.

Also on Thursday, the administration fended off continuing criticism leveled at Palin's Alaska Gasline Inducement Act by producers Exxon Mobil Corp., BP PLC and ConocoPhillips, which call the bill restrictive and lacking financial incentives.

The companies are calling for terms that reflect a proposed contract negotiated by Murkowski, which dealt strictly with the producers and offered substantial tax benefits.

But under AGIA, producers and independent pipeline companies can vie for rights to build the pipeline that lawmakers hope will ship trillions of cubic feet of natural gas to market.

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From: Kari Spencer [kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 11:01 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com; annette-kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us
Cc: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)

Subject: Fw: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Governor and Commissioner: the proc in question was written by the faith-based Initiative group and run through many people in our office--I believe the idea is to have a super careful "wording" in the actual document, but the speaker (which had the Governor been here would have been perfect of course) can add words like God and Jesus or Father or whatever the speaker feels from the heart. Please see the emails I've attached which reflect thought and time was given to this proc. Kari.

-----Original Message-----

From: Michelle Fabrello <michelle_fabrello@gov.state.ak.us>
To: Kari Spencer
Sent: Fri May 04 08:15:35 2007
Subject: FW: National Day of Prayer proclamation

S <<National Day of Prayer_ProcDraft.doc>> ee the email below. It was drafted by the Office of Faith-Based Initiatives, Meg and apparently Mike T.? approved it.

From: Meghan Stapleton [mailto:meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, March 30, 2007 2:55 PM
To: 'Michelle Fabrello'
Cc: 'Sharon Leighow'; meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: FW: National Day of Prayer proclamation

This is great. Thanks! Just reviewed with Mike.

Meghan N. Stapleton

Communications Director

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From: Horton, Tara [mailto:tara_horton@health.state.ak.us]
Sent: Thursday, March 29, 2007 4:36 PM
To: 'Michelle Fabrello'
Cc: 'Meghan Stapleton'; 'Kris Perry'; Wheeler, Stephanie; Curran, Michael

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Subject: RE: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Michelle,

I should first say that this unlike many proclamations may be a controversial one and should be handled with care and mindfulness. I recommend that multiple eyes look this over before it is signed.

This day is not one that is welcomed by Americans United for Separation of Church and State and similar groups that see it as a violation of the First Amendment. There are many sites that are dedicated to picking apart both the President's and many Governors' proclamations for the National Day of Prayer as well as the National Day of Prayer Task Force.

That said I believe it can be worded in a way that decreases the potential for offending any one faith or political affiliation.

I've attached a draft that you are free to add to, change, or completely scrap.

I'd be happy to help with anything else you might need. Two other resources would be Stephanie Wheeler our Executive Director and Michael Curran our Program Coordinator (and former Episcopal Priest).

National Day of Prayer website: <http://www.ndptf.org/home/index.cfm>

President Bush's 2002 Proclamation: <http://www.whitehouse.gov/news/releases/2002/04/20020426-2.html>

Example of an Opposing website "National Day of Reason": <http://www.nationaldayofreason.org/ndpwrong.html>

Sincerely,

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From: Kris Perry [mailto:kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Thursday, March 29, 2007 1:46 PM

To: 'Horton, Tara'

Cc: 'Michelle Fabrello'; 'Meghan Stapleton'

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Subject: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Tara,

The National Day of Prayer Task Force is requesting a proclamation from Alaska for National Day of Prayer by April 1st. The turn-around time is extremely tight, but if you could assist with language, I would greatly appreciate it. Or direct me to who can.

Attached is what was used last year.

Michelle Fabrello is the contact to work with. Contact info below.

Thanks,

Kris

Michelle Fabrello

Coordinator for Constituent Relations

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 6:54 AM
To: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Bitney; John W (GOV)
Subject: Fw: RE: What time is your first meeting with the H/S Group today?

Mike and john: remember halford asked that you guys call him for strategy. It can not hurt to do so - pls take him up on offer and ask him today his advice. He's been there, seen it, knows lyda, etc.

-----Original Message-----

To: Michael A Tibbles

To: John W Bitney

Sent: May 4, 2007 6:44 AM

Subject: Fw: RE: What time is your first meeting with the H/S Group today?

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-----Original Message-----

From: Patrick S Galvin

To: Governor Sarah Palin

To: Sean Parnell

Sent: May 3, 2007 11:41 PM

Subject: RE: RE: What time is your first meeting with the H/S Group today?

I completely agree. Tibbles, Marty and I discussed this at dinner, and Marty and I expressed these concerns.

After Huggins and Joule leave for the weekend tomorrow, the group will not have their first meeting until Monday.

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-Pat

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 10:59 PM

To: Sean Parnell; Patrick S Galvin

Subject: Re: RE: What time is your first meeting with the H/S Group today?

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From: S R Parnell <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us>

Date: Thu, 03 May 2007 12:40:21

To: Patrick Galvin <patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us>

Subject: Re: RE: What time is your first meeting with the H/S Group today?

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From: Patrick Galvin <patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us>

Date: Thursday, May 3, 2007 12:28 pm

Subject: RE: What time is your first meeting with the H/S Group today?

To: S Parnell <sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us>

> It came from leadership. Hoffman outlined it at the meeting. We
> shaped the commitment to have the outcome go through the

> committees, and have the votes. I still think there may be a gap
> in the understanding of how it will work between the House and
> Senate, particularly as it relates the role of staff. But we'll
> see if it gets ironed out. -Pat From: S Parnell
> [mailto:sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us] Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007
> 11:33 AM To: Patrick Galvin Subject: Re: What time is your first
> meeting with the H/S Group today? <!-- Converted from text/plain
> format -->
> Ok, I am in FBX. Just tracking things. Who suggested this pre-
> conference conference committee originally? -----Original Message--
> --- From: Patrick Galvin <patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us> To:
> S Parnell Sent: Thu May 03 10:17:23 2007 Subject: RE: What time is
> your first meeting with the H/S Group today? I just checked with
> Bitney. No time yet. -Pat _____ From: S
> Parnell [mailto:sr_parnell@gov.state.ak.us] Sent: Thursday, May
> 03, 2007 10:11 AM To: Patrick Galvin Subject: What time is your
> first meeting with the H/S Group today?
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 6:39 AM
To: Annette E Kreitzer
Subject: Re: National Day of Prayer proclamation

I still haven't heard back who wrote it. When I find out I'll know. In the meantime I'm glad you emailed me about it

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette \ (Dept. of Admin\)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>
Date: Fri, 4 May 2007 05:44:50
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Final point, I promise. What I wanted to get out of this was a clearer picture of who to talk to in this situation. I don't know who would have had authority (and time) to get the proclamation changed. Who would you have wanted me to talk to?

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To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)
Subject: Re: National Day of Prayer proclamation

No, it doesn't sound like me - pls Let em know I didn't write it - no one showed it to me
- Kari reports it was the signature machine signing. But its water under the bridge now.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Kreitzer, Annette \ (Dept. of Admin\)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>
Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 18:00:09
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: National Day of Prayer proclamation

Relevant portions:

"It is not the intent of this proclamation to promote a particular religion, but rather to encourage thoughtful reflection on the condition of our state and country and to honor our freedom of religious expression whether that is prayer, alms giving, fasting, peace activism, meditation, promotion of social justice or another form of contemplative action.

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...I urge you to join fellow Americans across racial, political, and religious boundaries to observe the National Day of Prayer within your respective communities and faith traditions.

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"May we be thankful for our blessings, reflect on the many needs of our state and nation, treat our neighbors with dignity and respect, and seek moral and spiritual renewal through the religious or spiritual expression which most closely aligns with who we are as individuals.

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Now, therefore...proclaim ...as National Day of Prayer in Alaska and encourage Alaskans to keep the health, well-being, prosperity, and peace of our state, nation and world in mind on this day."

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From: "Kreitzer, Annette \ (Dept. of Admin\)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>

Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 17:52:27

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: National Day of Prayer proclamation

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I don't know, it was delivered to my office - so I don't know who signed off on it.i¿½ It was in final form when I received it, so I thought that you had seen it.i¿½ These are usually done by Michelle Fabrello, but it's been my experience that someone in the Governor's office signs off on it.i¿½ I don't know anymore than that.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2007 5:49 PM

To: Kreitzer, Annette (Dept. of Admin)

Subject: Re: National Day of Prayer proclamation

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Who wrote the proclamation?

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From: "Kreitzer, Annette \ (Dept. of Admin\)" <Annette_Kreitzer@admin.state.ak.us>

Date: Thu, 3 May 2007 16:35:02

To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: National Day of Prayer proclamation

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Governor:

i2%We don't know each other really well, and I'm going out on a limb here, but the proclamation I read today for National Day of Prayer did not sound like you.i2% It was, and I apologize for my language here, mamby-pamby pabulum.i2% I did not have an opportunity to read it before around 10 a.m. this morning.i2%

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After the Governor's Prayer Breakfast, and your statements there (which I again heard much positive feedback on today from the pastors who were at the Day of Prayer gathering), the proclamation was almost embarrassing.iL% I am always honored to offer remarks on your behalf and I don't mean to sound ungrateful for the opportunity - but, you asked us to tell it to you straight and so, I'm believing that you meant that.

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I held onto this email for about 30 minutes before sending it.iL% In that time, I was told the Valley pastors who gathered for National Day of Prayer did not read the proclamation because of the wording.iL% I guess that' s my confirmation that I should hit the send button.

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Thanks for all that you do and I know you're working hard on other issues, but I have been a witness to what happens when a Governor is insulated from any criticism.iL% I believe you can be an incredibly successful Governor.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 5:52 PM
To: Frye; Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Feedback for Governor

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From: "sarah" <spalin@mtaonline.net>
Date: Fri, 4 May 2007 11:08:41
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Fw: Feedback for Governor

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From: Law Offices
of Joseph Miller LLC: <mailto:millerlaw@acsalaska.net>
To: 'Ivy
Frye': <mailto:ivyfrye@yahoo.com>
Cc: spalin@mtaonline.net: <mailto:spalin@mtaonline.net>
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 8:23 AM
Subject: Re: Feedback for Governor

Governor Palin:

As you have solicited my advice in the past on matters affecting the bar and bench, I'm

hoping that you will consider the following information in your consideration of applicants for the Fairbanks Superior Court judgeship.

As you know, I've seen the practice of law from both sides of the bench. As a former judge, government attorney, and private practice attorney, I have a good sense of the type of qualities Alaska needs in its judges. I share your perspective that this state requires judicial officers who will properly and fairly interpret our laws and constitution, free of ideological baggage. I also share your conviction that individuals entrusted to official positions must be committed to the highest levels of integrity.

You have before you what may appear, at first blush, a difficult decision for the Fairbanks bench. The Alaska Bar Association poll has resulted in a number of candidates with fairly high scores. From my professional and personal perspective, however, there is one candidate that stands out amongst the rest: Michael MacDonald.

As both a judge and attorney, I've had the pleasure of working with Mike. He is marked by a strong moral compass and a rock-solid dose of common sense, qualities often lacking in my profession. Not only is he an individual of integrity, he is also committed to the betterment of his community. For example, Mike recently received statewide recognition for providing free legal assistance to the elderly and disabled in Fairbanks.

He is also active with the youth of our community in scouting, little league baseball, youth choir, and other activities. And it is fair to say that Mike is what makes Fairbanks hockey happen: he is involved in numerous youth hockey programs (including a girls' high school hockey program), serves as Alaska Hockey's Associate Coach in Chief for the Northern Region, is the Arctic Lion's Vice President for Player Development, serves as an advisory committee member for the Fairbanks Ice Dogs, and is a director for the Fairbanks Hockey Hall of Fame.

In addition to this volunteerism, Mike's experience also sets him apart from the other candidates for the Fairbanks Superior Court. In contrast to the other candidates, Mike has a recent, varied, and extensive criminal and civil practice. This diversity of experience is particularly critical in Fairbanks where our superior court judges are burdened by an ever-increasing number of cases. By appointing Mike to the bench, you will provide Fairbanks with a judicial officer who can "hit the ground running" and help clear the back log of cases that are clogging the system.

Finally, I should also mention what may already be obvious from what you've read: Mike is a very bright guy. Despite the fact that he graduated from Harvard, Mike consistently demonstrates clear thinking even in complex litigation.

In short, Fairbanks desperately needs a smart, hard working, common sense person like Mike on the bench.

If you have any questions about this recommendation, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Joe

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From: Ivy Frye [mailto:ivyfrye@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2007 5:40 PM
To: Law Offices of Joseph Miller, LLC
Subject: Re: Feedback for Governor

Joe,

Feel free to send on your information to me. I'm compiling a list that I will be reviewing with the governor and her chief of staff.

Thanks,

Ivy

"Law Offices of Joseph Miller, LLC" <info@aklaw.us> wrote:

<cid:002401c78e7f\$a0e63260\$3230fea9@yourvp7x3s9ctm>

Ivy,

I have some information that the Governor may find useful in her work with the bar association and judicial selection. I know that she'll be in Fairbanks tomorrow but I am, unfortunately, stuck in Anchorage for the next three days. I'll hold off on calling her until I get approval from you.

Thanks,

Joe

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From: govpalin@gov.state.ak.us
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2007 9:02 AM
To: Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV)
Subject: Re: dinner

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-----Original Message-----

From: Erika Fagerstrom <erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us>
Date: Mon, 30 Apr 2007 16:27:03
To: 'Governor Sarah Palin' <govpalin@gov.state.ak.us>
Subject: RE: dinner

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From: Governor Sarah Palin [mailto:govpalin@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 4:07 PM
To: 'Erika Fagerstrom'
Subject: RE: dinner

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Thanks for everything! It's a zoo around here today... end of session stuff starting to heat up the place. But it's all good.

From: Erika Fagerstrom [mailto:erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 3:09 PM
To: 'Governor Sarah Palin'
Subject: RE: dinner

Hello,

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JErika

From: Governor Sarah Palin [mailto:govpalin@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, April 30, 2007 2:54 PM

To: 'Erika Fagerstrom'

Subject: dinner

Hi Erika:

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From: Erika Fagerstrom [mailto:erika_fagerstrom@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Friday, April 20, 2007 1:43 PM

To: 'Governor Sarah Palin'; fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Cc: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); 'Kari Spencer'

Subject: GUEST LIST QUESTION- Friends of the Governor's Mansion Foundation Fundraiser,
May 9th, 2007 at the Residence

Hello Governor and Mr. Palin,

The list of lobbyists for the Friends of the Governor's Mansion Foundation Fundraiser are listed below for your review/approval. I've also attached the 2007 Lobbyist Directory in case you wanted the client/employer information. Please let me know if you'd like to make any changes or have any additional guests that you'd like to include.

F.Y.I. - The Foundation pays for the food, beverage, and staff over time expenses, so that it's not an expense that the House incurs. I have a copy of a memorandum from the Department of Law from March 14, 2005 where the question was asked if there would be any Executive Ethics Act (AS 39.52) or other legal concerns presented if the foundation held a fundraiser at the Governor's Mansion and the conclusion (was that the First Lady (Gentleman in this case) is not a "public official" under the Ethics Act, the strictures of the Act do not apply to her/him. The Governor may also host fundraising activities at the residence, and he may freely invite guests and host functions as he/she deems proper. Of course, there is much more information, and this is paraphrased, but I wanted you to be aware of some of the issues that have been addressed. I could fax a copy to you if you'd like.

If at all possible, it would be great to have the final guest list as soon as possible, as May 9th is quickly approaching.

Thank you,

Erika

Erika Fagerstrom

Executive Residence Manager & Assistant to the First Gentleman

Governor's House

State of Alaska, Office of the Governor

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2007 Lobbyist Directory

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Adams, Al

Adams, Robert

Alcantra, John

Anderson Group

App, Jennifer

Austerman, Alan

Babcock, Tuckerman

Baker, Andy

Betit, Rod

Bickford, Frank

Bielawski, Patty

Biss, Thomas

Bjork, Bill

Borell, Steven

Brady, Judith

Brammer, Joseph

Breeland, Kevin

Brice, Tom

Brigman, Brian

Brune, Jason

Bullock, Geoffrey

Capitol Associates

Carlson, David

Carman, John

Carter, Patrick

Cattanach, Richard

Chamberlain, Wendy

Cook, Jeffry

Crockett, Marilyn

Culliton, Christine

Davis, Richard

Dawson, Jenny

Dawson, V. Kent

DeWitt, Dennis

Echols, Tom

Etheridge, Don

Evans, Robert

Feeken, David

Fink, Linda

Ford, Michael

Foster, Patrick

Francis, Mary

Friesen, Donna

Fuhs, Paul

Fuller, Joseph

Gallagher, Gerald

Garcia, Lydia

George, John

George, Tom

Gill, Matthew

Gillespie, Raymond

Gilman, Blaine

Gonzalez, Jr., Santana

Gravo, Mitchell

Gruening, Clark

Hagevig, Rosemary

Hanley, Mark

Haymes, Craig

Heincy, Charles Daniel

Hickey, Mark

Higgins, Mark

Hillebrand, Gail

Holder, Jennifer

Hoover, James

Huff Tuckness, Barbara

Hughes, Shelley

Hurley, Michael

Hutchinson, Kim

Isaacson, Doug

Jacko, George

Jardell, Kevin

Johnson, Bruce

Kalk, Helen

Kelly, Tim

King, Wendy

Kito, Jr., Sam

Knauss, Kristopher

Knight, Chris

Knudson, Kip

Kubley, Don

Laubacher, Cynthia

Lee, Vincent

Legislative Consultants

Lehmann, Waltraut

Leland, Marilyn

Lessmeier & Winters

Lewis, Kathy

Lindskoog, Wendy

Logan, Jeff

Lottsfeldt, Jim

Luby, John

Mackie, Jerry

Macleod-Ball, Michael

MacRae, Bruce

Markley, Lawrence

Marshall, Vernon

Martin, John

Martin, Tina

Marushack, Joseph

Massey, Martin

Matiashowski, Ray

Mattingly, Regan

McConaghy, Dennis

McCune, Gerald

McDonald, Alyssa

McMahon, William

McRae, Jack

Miller, Charlie

Mills, Marianne

Morgan, Yuri

Moriarty, Kara

Mulder, Eldon

Munson, Myra

Nelson, Mark

Nielsen, Paul

Norosz, Kris

Owens, Tadd

Palmer, Tony

Parish, David

Parker, Lisa

Peck, Ron

Picard, Jim

Pulliam, Gregory

Putman, V. Fate

Quesnel, Paul

Reed, Ashley

Reed, Glen

Reinwand, Jerry

Richards, Paul

Ringstad, John

Robinson, Caren

Rogers, David

Rose, Carl

Rose, Chris

Rush, Steven

Schlatter, John

Seckers, Daniel

Shaub, Thyes

Shultz, Richard

Skinner, Cris

Snezek, Steve

Spanyers, Cindy

Stafford, Gail

Stecher, Donald

Stevens, Wayne

Steyer, Phil

Stoops, Reed

Straube, Phelan

Tesar, Kate

Thierwechter, Douglas

Thompson, Aves

Thorstenson, Jr., Robert

Tillinghast, Jonathan

Tomlinson, Rex

Toohey, Cam

Toohey, Michelle

Tryck, Suzanne

Van Ness Feldman, LTD.

Van Tuyl, David

von Wichman, Alexandra

Wagoner, Chip

Walsh, John

Wasserman, Kathleen

Weary, Terri

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